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Col. THOMAS EDWIN TRUEMAN, O.B.E.
Deceased

PURSUANT TO THE TRUSTEE ACT 1925 SECTION 27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Col. THOMAS EDWIN TRUEMAN, O.B.E. deceased, late of Shanghai, China, Retired, who died, on the 21st day of September 1937, at sea on his way to England and of whose estate Letters of Administration (with Will annexed) were granted by His Britannic Majesty's Supreme Court for China at Shanghai, on the 23rd day of December 1937, to EDWIN NEVILLE TRUEMAN of Shanghai, the lawful attorney of Amy Eliza Trueman the lawful widow and sole Executrix named in the said Will of the said deceased, are hereby requested to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned on or before the 26th day of February 1938, after which date the said Edwin Neville Trueman will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the undersigned shall then have had notice, and will not be answerable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand the undersigned shall not then have had notice AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment to the said Edwin Neville Trueman of the Shanghai Waterworks Company Limited.

HAROLD BROWETT,
Solicitor to the said Administrator.
Shanghai, December 25, 1937.
11680

FREDERICK LARGE
Deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims against the Estate of FREDERICK LARGE, late of Shanghai, China, Retired Merchant, deceased, who died at Shanghai aforesaid on the 4th day of November 1937, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to GEORGE CLIFFORD LARGE, c/o Messrs. Nestle's Milk Products (China), Ltd., 381 Soochow Road, Shanghai, on or before the 2nd day of February 1938 AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment to me.

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Solicitor to the Executor,
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Shanghai, December 1, 1937.
11690

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G. CHAMBERS,
Superintendent.
12005

NOTICE

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Members are asked to attend the funeral services for the late
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THE COMMITTEES.
-604

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The musical service will follow immediately after Evensong when the Dean will preach on the Life of St. David.

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A. S. HENCHMAN,
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Shanghai, January 12, 1938. 11960

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15 Barber of Sevilla S'hai Opera 8.15

Coming Events
JANUARY
16 S.M. Orchestra Concert, Lyceum, 5.15
16 Theosop. radio talk, XQHB, 820 kc., 7.45
16 Tales of Hoffman
17 Engineering Society Meeting, 5.45
18 Barber of Sevilla S'hai Opera, 8.15
18 For. Y. lect. Chap. F. R. Hamilton, 8.30
19 St. Patrick's Soc. ann. mtg. Palace, 5.15
20 O.A.G. China als Schluesselland fuer Zoogeographische Probleme. 8.30
22 Lacme, S'hai Opera, 8.15
23 Theosop. radio talk, XQHB, 820 kc., 7.45
25 For. Y. lect. Chap. F. R. Hamilton, 8.30
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FEBRUARY
3 Theosophical Society Open Mtg., 153 Nanking Road, public invited, 6
3 Le Ballet Russe, Lyceum, The Sleeping Beauty, Symphonic Ballet, by P. Tschaikowsky, 8.15
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

BRITISH DEGREES

The Arrangements Made

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—With regard to E.E.'s question whether a London University external degree can be obtained in Shanghai either through correspondence courses or private study, it is a fact that recently arrangements have been made at the British Consulate in Shanghai to enable any student who considers himself or herself sufficiently competent to sit for such an examination, to do so. The point at issue is not whether preparation through correspondence colleges or otherwise is necessary, but that the candidate should satisfy the examiners of the London University in having reached the required standard after taking the examination here in Shanghai.

A SHANGHAI STUDENT FOR B.A. HONOURS LOND.

Shanghai, Jan. 14.

Correspondence Training

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I read CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT'S letter with interest. I am sure there are many, like myself, who would be only too glad to obtain a British accountancy or secretarial degree by sitting for the examinations in Shanghai, but speaking for myself, I am not yet convinced that a training by correspondence is better than attending classes. The former method does not give an opportunity of asking questions, or if it does, the correspondence colleges being in England, a student would have lost all interest before receiving solutions to his difficulties.

STUDENT.

Shanghai, Jan. 14.

Lack of Understanding

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Your correspondent CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT gives us quite a good and fair understanding between a diploma and a British degree, for which he is to be thanked.

The institutions of The London Association of Certified Accountants and the Corporation of Accountants, are British degrees obtainable by examination in Shanghai and Hongkong and your correspondent states both are recognized by Parliament.

What I cannot understand, however, is the matter of recognition by Parliament? What has the British Government or Parliament (Members of Parliament) got to do with these degrees? Does he mean that they stand in a legal position by an Act of Parliament? An explanation would perhaps make your correspondent's letter more enlightening.

INQUIRY.

Shanghai, Jan. 14.

IN WAYSIDE

A Resident's Suggestions

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I like to inform you that it's very peaceful here, no radios, no hawkers and very little noise. The Japanese soldiers are very polite, if you do not unnecessarily trouble them in their business.

My experience of some days out here tells me that it is quite safe to be out on the main thoroughfares even after dark. I was on my way home about 9 p.m. one evening walking in the dark. Groups of soldiers more or less filled with Saki were also returning to their sleeping places. One started to talk with me in a happy mood putting his arm around my neck while doing so. I understood that he wished to teach me some Japanese. When he slackened his grip around me I hurried away, but I had not gone far when one of the fellow's camerades run up to me and said: "Please excuse him, he is drunk".

Otherwise, the life out here is not so comfortable. True, one foreign shop has opened its doors already in Wayside, there is still some coal left in the different coal yards, you do not need to walk, as the Japanese have placed some buses on the road and you can always get a lift from the many vehicles, which rush along the Broadway, but still plenty is wanted and if that is not arranged very soon the impression, that the Japanese are very poor reconstructors, cannot be avoided.

Following arrangements have to be made at once:

(1) The Shanghai General Bus Co. must be allowed to place some of their busses on run on the other side of the creek. (The Japanese have only a couple of cars and nobody seews to know anything about their movements).

(2) Rickshaws must be allowed to stay and do business in the "Shanghai Japan"—this ought to be very easy to arrange.

(3) Shops, Japanese, if no others, to be allowed to open all over the Wayside and Yangtszepoo, where there are inhabitants.

(4) Chinese food, vegetables, etc., to be bought in the district. This is most important.

There are some wishes connected entirely with the Chinese interests, which should have been dealt with also long time ago, but we foreigners are mostly concerned with the above few improvements at least.

I do not care, Wayside is China or Settlement Japan. I cannot change the thing in any way. To all appearances Wayside is Japan and, thus, it is face of Japan, which is at stake. Many believe that Japan can only kill and destroy, but is a poor builder reconstructor. We here in Wayside would not like to join this opinion and, therefore, the above is presented through your great paper to the notice of those, who rule this side of the world.

WAYSIDER.

Shanghai, Jan. 12.

A REFUGEE SCHEME

An Expensive Business

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Anybody that seriously entertains the idea of appropriating $100,000 to repatriate 1,000 refugees is apparently under the illusion that money can be picked out of the soil like daisies and has as much sense.

You also underestimated the requirements under this budget. There are altogether 300,000 refugees in Shanghai. At $100,000 per mille, it will require $30,000,000, not $10,000,000, as you said in to-day's leader.

CYNIC.

Shanghai, Jan. 14.

SUNDAY'S CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Trinity Cathedral.—January 16.—2nd Sunday after Epiphany.—Holy Communion (also in Bubbling Well Chapel) 8 a.m. Mattins (said) 10 a.m. Choral Eucharist 10.30 a.m. Harwood in D. Hymns: 36, 197, 321, 292. Preacher: Rev. E. J. Ottewell, L. Th. (Choral Eucharist at 10.30 a.m. will be broadcast over Station XMHD 760 kc., 394.6m.) Children's Service 10.30 a.m. Sunday Schools 3.00 p.m. Evensong (said) 5.00 p.m. (Specially arranged Service) 6.00 p.m. Band and Choir of Royal Welch Fusiliers. Lessons: Isaiah 49, 14-end; John 12, 20-end. Preacher: The Dean.

Bubbling Well Chapel; 6 p.m. Preacher Rev. P. C. Matthews, A.M.

St. John's Pro-Cathedral, Jessfield.—Evening Prayer in English at 6 o'clock Preacher: Rev. E. R. Dyer, M.A.

Union Church (International and Interdenominational), 107 Soochow Road (near the British Consulate-General).—Acting Minister: Rev. C. Wilfrid Allan.—10.30, Children's Morning Service in the Church Hall; 10.45, Morning Worship. Preacher, Rev. P. E. Slater, of the Methodist Mission in Ningpo; 3, Western District Sunday School in the premises of the German Church, 1 Great Western Road.—Friday, 5.30, Choir rehearsal.

Community Church.—Saturday, Jan. 15, Rev. John P. Minter will preside at the Morning Worship in Community Church, 53 Avenue Petain, on Sunday at eleven o'clock. Miss Rosa May Butler will be at the organ. Prelude, "Solemn Prelude" (Noble); Offertory, Dona Nobis Pacem" (Weber); Postlude, "Pomp and Circumstance" (Elgar). All Departments of the Church School will meet as usual at nine-thirty, Dr. M. T. Rankin leading the Adult Group. On Monday at 3 p.m. the Women's Auxiliary will hold their monthly Thimble Tea in the home of Mrs C. W. Petitt, 10-A Route Winling. The weekly Choir rehearsal will be at eight-fifteen Tuesday evening in the Church Parlor. On Wednesday afternoon the Cubs, Camp Fire Girls and Boy Scouts will meet at their respective hours. Sunday is Every Member Canvass day. Campaign workers will meet in the Church Parlor at 2 p.m. and return at 5.30 p.m. for reports. Members who have not already made their pledges for 1938 are requested to remain at their homes this afternoon to receive a call from Committee workers. A special meeting for Prayer will be held for all missionaries and English-speaking Chinese Christian workers in the Church on Sunday afternoon, January 23 at 3.30 to be followed by a social gathering.

Marine Brigade Church Grand Theatre 10 a.m. Chaplain Frank R. Hamilton of the Fourth Marines will conduct the Service, delivering the Sermon on the subject "The Art Of Hearing." A special musical feature is a Saxophone Quartet rendered by four members of the band personnel. Selections by the band in the worship include the Prelude "Indilio" by Lack and Tobani's "Hearts and Flowers" for the Offertory. The Fourth Marines' Band, under the direction of Bandmaster Leon Freda, introduces the Concert following the Service with the Overture "Marche Slave" by Tschaikowsky and also plays a selection from Verdi's Opera "La Traviata." The Guest Artiste in the Concert is Madame Mira Zemirova, Soprano, who sings two solos with the Marine Band accompanying, "Vorrei Morire" by F. Paolo Tosti and Shubert's beautiful "Serenade." The programme concludes with the band's rendering of the Marines' Hymn and the American National Anthem. The public of Shanghai of all nationalities is cordially invited to both the Service and Concert.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.—Shanghai, 1647, Avenue Road. Sunday service 11 a.m. Subject: "Life." Sunday School 9.45 a.m. Testimonial Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. Reading Room at the Church open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m. Wednesday from 10.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday from 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Endeavourers Church ..... Morning Service will be held at The Hut 495 Yu Yuen Road at 10 a.m. The speaker will be Rev. S. Glanville. No evening service.

"The Hut." 495 Yu Yuen Road. Sunday School at 3 p.m. Evening Service at 6 o'clock Preacher Mr. W. McDowall, Wednesday, Bible Classes at 10.30 a.m. Subject: Prophecy. Mrs. H. G. Barrie. Friday, 7.45 p.m.

Shanghai Free Christian Church (Evangelical) 681 Hart Road.—The Services on Sunday will be conducted as follows:—Morning at 11 o'clock by Dr. Lee S. Huizenga Sunday School at 3 o'clock. Evening at 8 o'clock by Rev. J. S. Orr Services during the week:—Monday at 8 p.m. Young People's Meeting. Thursday afternoon at 5.45 Prayer Meeting. A welcome extended to members of the Foreign Defence Force.

Bethesda Gospel Hall (International), pro. tem. 729 Yu Yuen Road, Shanghai Gospel Services are held in: German: on Sundays at 3.30 to 4.30 p.m. on Wednesdays Bible Class for Ladies at 4 to 5 p.m. English: on Tuesdays Prayer Meeting at 5.30 to 6.30 p.m. Chinese: on Sundays Breaking of Bread Meeting at 10 to 11.30 a.m. on Sundays Gospel Meeting at 2.30 to 3.30 p.m. on Fridays Bible Class at 6-7 p.m.

Saint Joseph's Church (Rue Montauban).—Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7, 8.15 and 10.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7.30 a.m.

Sacred Heart Church (21 Nanzing Road) Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7, 8 and 10 a.m. Benediction at 5 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6, 7 and 7.45 a.m.

Saint Peter's Church (Avenue Dubail).—Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 3.30 and 6.45 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.15, 6, 6.45 and 7.30 a.m.

Saint Theresa's Church (35 Tatung Road).—Sunday: Masses at 7 and 8.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6.45.

Our Lady's Church (694 Baikal Road).—Sunday: Masses at 6.30 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7 a.m.

Church of St. Aloysius Gonzaga (730 Kiaochow Road).—Sunday: Masses at 6, 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.30, 6 and 6.30 a.m.

Deutsche Kirche Sonntag, den 16. Januar vormittags 10,30 Uhr Gottesdienst.

Sixty Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"
OF JANUARY 15, 1878

As has been already mentioned, the North-German Consulate in Shanghai has been raised to the rank of a Consulate-General; and Mr. Lueder has received the new appointment. We understand that Dr. Krauel, who has been officiating here for Mr. Lueder during the last sixteen months, will go home on leave, on the 18th instant, after a stay of nearly five years in China as Consul at Foochow, Amoy and Shanghai.

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We are glad to see that, at a meeting of the French Council held on the 4th instant, instructions were given to commence repairing the Zikawei road without delay, and to plant trees along its sides. A ground plan of the Concession is to be drawn up. The formation of a Famine Relief Committee was approved. The Budget for 1878 was prepared, and will be presented to the ratepayers at a public meeting, which has not been done now for some years.

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GIRL OF SEVENTEEN PARACHUTIST

First in Australia to Take the Jump

Jean Burns, 17-year-old Melbourne girl, is the first woman to make a parachute jump in Australia. She descended from a height of 3,200 feet at the Essendon Aerodrome, near Melbourne, states the "Evening News."

Miss Burns, who is also one of the youngest pilots in the country, made a slow descent to a paddock near the aerodrome, and she was followed by the plane which landed near her.

Miss Burns suffered slight abrasions to her face by being dragged alone the ground by the parachute.

"It was great," she said. "The first plunge was breath-taking, but when the parachute opened out I was able to watch my progress and wonder where I was going to land. The only time I felt uneasy was when I saw a pool of water and thought I was going into it."

SHORT WAVE RADIO

To-day's Broadcasts

Daventry, England.—Trans. 1, from *15.15 to 17.30 o'clock*, 16.86 metres, 25.53m; 31.55. Trans. 2, *18.45 to 21.55* 13.93m; 13.97m; 16.86m; 19.76m; Trans. 3, *22.15 to 1.00* 13.89m; 13.97m; 16.86m; 19.82m; 25.53m.

Via Hongkong.—31.49m.

Berlin, Germany.—*13.05 to 24.00*, 31.38m, 19.74m; 16.89m; 31.45m; 19.68m.

Rome, Italy.—*19.00 to 21.20 and 23.00 to 00.20*, 25.4m.

Australia.—Lyndhurst, Mon.-Sat. *10.35 to 21.30*; Sun., *16.00 to 20.30*, 31.34m.
Sydney, Sun., *14.00 to 16.00, 18.00 to 22.00*; Mon., *22.00 to 24.00*, 31.28m.
Melbourne, Mon.-Sat., *17.00 to 20.00*, 31.56m.
Perth, Mon.-Sat., *17.00 to 19.00*, 31.28m.

Paris, France.—*15.00 to 18.00*, 25.24m; *18.00 to 24.00*, 19.86m; *00.15 to 7.00*, 25.34; *7.15 to 14.00*, 26.60m.

Manila, P.I.—*6.30 to 9.00 and 19.00 to 23.00*, 25.38m; 31.35m. Sundays, *18.00 to 24.00*.

Tokyo, Japan.—*13.00 to 14.00, 21.00 to 22.00*, 25.42m; 19.79m.

Abridged Programmes

The letters in parenthesis indicate from which of the above stations the broadcast is made.

13.10 Week-End Concert (B)
13.30 News (T)
14.00 News in German (B)
15.00 News (B), (P)
15.30 Hunting and Love songs (B)
16.15 Berlin Soloist Society (B), "London Log" (D)
16.25 Brahams symphonies, 1 (D)
16.30 Music, 31.34m. (A)
16.45 Short selections (B), Sport news/notes, 31.34m. (A)
17.00 Radio sketch (B), News in French (P), Melbourne prog., 31.50m.; Perth prog., 31.28m. (A)
17.15 "Over the Farm Gate," 1 (D)
17.20 News, 31.34m. (A)
17.30 News (P), in German (B), "BBC Ballroom" (D)
17.40 News in Italian (P)
17.45 Feature in English (B)
18.00 News (D), Orchestral hour, 31.34m. (A) Melodies (B)
18.45 "Home Is Like That" (D)
19.00 BBC Midland Orches. (D), Concert (B), (P), Varied, till 21.30 (B)
19.05 Tenor recital: Dino Borgioli, 31.34 (A)
19.25 "Film Shots!" (D)
19.45 Pipe Band concert (D)
20.00 News (B), (P), Instrumental ensemble, 31.34m. (A)
20.05 Collins' Dance Orches. (D)
21.30 News, 31.34m. (A)
20.50 "London Log" (D)
21.00 C'dore Grnd. Orches. (D), News in German (B), Dance music, 31.34m. (A)
21.15 "Spicy Paprika" (B)
21.30 News (D), in French (P)
21.45 Feature in English (B)
22.00 "At the Black Dog" (D), News (B)
22.30 Concert (P), Dance music (D)
22.36 Rugby: Wales v. England (D)
23.00 Varied, till 00.20 (B)
23.45 "German Medicine" (B)
24.00 News (R)
00.15 Opera selections (D)
00.30 News (D)
06.00 Special news, 31.48m. (SCH)

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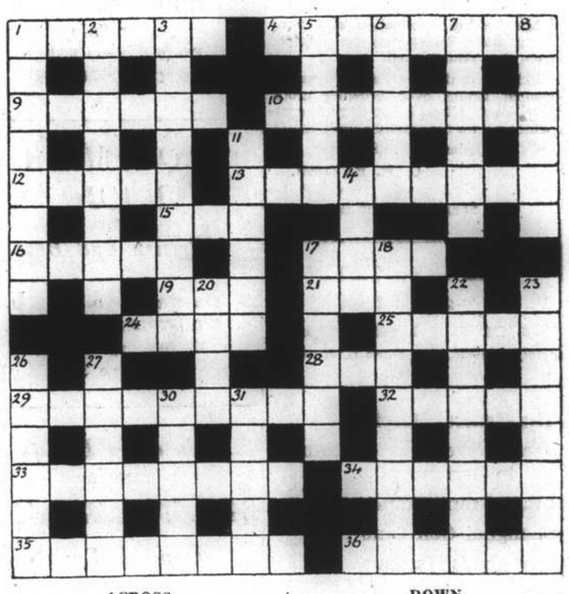

ACROSS

1 Quite ready to suggest
4 This official would apparently not agree with a "No Gratuities" notice
9 A turning point perhaps
10 This and 36 across are the masterpiece of 16 across
12 Does not sound like a strong pretence
13 Work for a signwriter, or what the Cockney servant said, who wouldn't hear
15 An easy catch
16 This author is giving you sound but unnecessary advice
17 A vulgar fellow by the seaside
19 He follows the sea for a time
21 This drink can be made from half a lemon
24 European capital
25 Bird
28 Quadruped
29 An attraction for visitors to Scotland
32 Away
33 Lament
34 Impede at the back
35 An ominous term of heraldry
36 See 10 across

DOWN

1. Film star that seems to advise on the choice of a car
2 Earliest
3 Blunt advice on a little point of manners
5 Only a little bit of land but apparently not wanting a tenant
6 Salt water fish are caught in this French river
7 Reach
8 Provide nourishment for one's declining years
11 A fair freak
14 Implement
17 Carriage with a whip showing
18 Capable even of being changed to eat silver
20 A foreign lady who may have come from prison
22 He is a magistrate not a clerk of the court
23 This Highlander is known in military circles
26 Punishment for security?
27 This kind of land is not rare
30 Masculine name
31 British novelist

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REPORT No. 2/1938 for week ending January 14, compiled by the Shanghai Stock Exchange

Comparative Opening Cash Prices: This Friday Morning Jan. 14, 1938 Buyers	Sellers	No m	Last Friday Morning Jan. 7, 1938 Buyers	Sellers	Nom.	Business Recorded During Week Closing To-Day, Friday Morning: Highest Cash	Jan.	Feb.	Lowest Cash	Jan.	Feb.	STOCK	Authorised Capital (No. of Shares)	Issued Capital (No. of Shares)	Paid up Value (or Face Value)	Fin. Year ends	Last Dividends, etc.	Paid or due	Business Done Year 1937 Highest	Lowest	Business Done Year 1938 Highest	Lowest	Total No. of Shares Done for Last Week	This Week	Total Amount of Sales Reposted Jan. 1—Jan. 14 1937	1938
												Banks, Finance Companies															
....	....	15	....	....	15	....	....	....	....	....	....	Central Properties, Ltd	5,000,000	180,000	$10	Dec.	Div. 10% 1936	18-1-37	15 Feb	14 June	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	15	....	....	15	....	....	....	....	....	....	China Bond & Share Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	200,000	100,000	$10	Dec.	Final Div. 6% (Mkg. 10%. 1936)	10-3-37	15.50 Apr	15.50 Apr	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	0.40	....	....	0.40	....	....	....	....	....	....	China Finance Corp. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	400,000	400,000	T5	Dec.	Spec. Tax Div. Tls. 0.27½ = $0.39, 1931	14-3-32	0.40 Apr	0.40 Feb	....	....	....	....	2,000	....
....	....	*1,500	....	....	*1,500	....	....	....	....	....	....	Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corp.	400,000	160,000	H $125	Dec.	Fin. Div. £3 (Mkg. £5-10-0, 1937) Less I/T	Pending	1,945 June	1,380 Dec.	....	....	....	....	31	....
....	....	3.20	....	....	3.20	....	....	....	....	....	....	Inter. Invest. Trust Co. of China Ltd.	2,000,000	350,000	T10	Mar.	Div. $0.75, 1934 (Nil 1937)	4-5-34	4.25 Feb	3 June	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	3.20	....	....	3.20	....	....	....	....	....	....	Shanghai Loan & Investment Co., Ltd.	250,000	250,000	T5	Dec.	Div. $0.25 a/c 1934 (Nil 1936)	25-2-35	5 Feb	2.70 June	....	....	....	....	1,050	....
....	....	20	....	....	20	....	....	....	....	....	....	Union Mobilière	100,000	100,000	$20	Dec.	7% for 1936	19-4-37	20 July	18 Jan	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	6.05	....	....	6.05	....	....	....	....	....	....	Yangtsze Finance Co., Ltd.	2,000,000	517,500	T10	Mar.	Div. $0.20 a/c 1936-37	22-7-37	8 Mar	6 July	....	....	....	....	....	....
												Insurances															
....	....	10	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	American-Asiatic Underwriters (ord.)	75,000	75,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.40, 1934 (1936 Nil)	15-5-35	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	25	....	....	25	....	....	....	....	....	....	Asia Life Insurance Co.	100,000	40,000	G $5	Dec.	Div. 15% = G. $0.75, 1934 (1936 Nil)	27-12-34	25 Dec	16.50 Apr	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	90	....	....	90	....	....	....	....	....	....	Assurance Franco-Asiatique	70,000	70,000	F100	Dec.	Div. 5%. 1936	29-5-37	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Fcs.	....	3.90	....	....	3.90	....	....	....	....	....	....	International Assurance Co., Ltd.	2,000,000	600,000	T5	Dec.	Div. $0.30, 1933 (Nil 1936)	18-5-34	4.55 Feb	3 Jan	....	....	....	....	4,500	....
....	....	*520	....	....	*520	£31	....	....	....	....	....	Union Insurance Society of Canton Ltd.	200,000	135,000	£6	Dec.	Int. Div. 15/- a/c 1937	22-10-37	636 Apr	515xD. Oct.	£31	£31	....	35	95	35
												Lands															
....	....	190	....	....	190	....	....	....	....	....	....	Anglo-French Land Invest. Co., Ltd.	25,000	19,335	T100	Feb.	Int. Div. $2 a/c 1937-38 ($10. 1936-37)	5-11-37	200 Feb	190 Jan	....	....	....	....	....	....
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....	....	0.70	....	....	0.70	....	....	....	....	....	....	China Realty Co. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	800,000	500,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $0.15 a/c 1934	20-2-35	1.45 Mar	0.90 June	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	190	....	....	190	....	....	....	....	....	....	Foncière et Immobilière de Chine	20,000	20,000	T100	Dec.	Div. $7. a/c 1936	18-3-37	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	7	....	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	Metropolitan Land Co., Ltd. "A"	500,000	39,800	T10	Sept.	Div. $0.80, 1934 (Nil 1937)	28-11-34	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
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....	....	10	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	San Sing Properties, Ltd.	2,000,000	805,007	T10	Mar.	Div. 2% = $0.28, 1933 (Nil 1937)	16-3-33	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	8.70	....	....	8.70	....	....	....	....	....	....	Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.	2,386,800	2,386,800	T5	Dec.	Fin. 4% = $0.28 (Mkg. Tls. 0.50 1934) (Nil 1936)	25-4-35	17 Feb	8.70 Aug	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	84	....	....	84	....	....	....	....	....	....	Tientsin Land Investment Co., Ltd.	120,000	64,281	$50	Dec.	Final 3% (Mkg. 10% 1936)	19-2-37	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
												Docks, Wharves and Transport															
....	....	3.20	....	....	3.20	....	....	....	....	....	....	New Eng. & Shipbuilding Works, Ltd. (ord.)	500,000	300,000	T5	Dec.	Div. Tls. 0.30 = $0.42, 1932 (Nil 1936)	14-3-33	3.80 Feb	2.25 Jan	....	....	....	....	166	....
....	....	107	....	....	107	....	....	....	....	....	....	Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co., Ltd.	55,700	55,200	T50	Dec.	Div. 5% a/c 30-4-36 (8 months a/c 1936 Nil)	18-8-36	108 July	92 Jan	....	....	....	....	225	....
....	....	145	....	145	145	....	....	....	145	....	....	Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co., Ltd.	80,000	60,000	T100	Dec.	Div. $6- a/c 1936	28-4-37	250 Feb	140 Dec.	145	145	....	126	92	126
....	....	14.80	....	....	14.80	....	....	....	....	....	....	Wheelock & Co., Ltd.	1,000,000	217,532	T10	Mar.	Div. $1- a/c 1936-37	24-6-37	18.60 June	10.30 Feb	....	....	....	....	....	....
												Utilities															
....	....	13	....	....	13	....	....	....	....	....	....	China General Omnibus Co., Ltd.	500,000	200,000	T10	Dec.	Div. Tls. 0.90 = $1.26, 1936	25-2-31	13.30 Apr	7.50 Jan	....	....	....	....	1,620	....
....	....	9.75	....	....	9.75	....	....	....	....	....	....	Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd.	700,000	420,700	$10	Dec.	Div. 4% 1936	8.4-37	10.70 Apr	9 Feb	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	72	....	....	72	....	....	....	....	....	....	Shanghai Telephone Company	400,000	115,142	T50	Dec.	....	....	86 Mar	68 Jan	....	....	....	....	182	....
....	....	36.75	....	....	36.75	....	....	....	....	....	....	S'hai Electric Construction Co., Ltd. "Reg."	700,000	670,000	£1	Dec.	Int. Div. 2% a/c 1937 (13%, 1936) Coupon 54	10-11-37	39.50 Apr	36.50 Feb	....	....	....	....	50	....
....	....	37	....	....	37	....	....	....	....	....	....	do. "Bear"							41 Mar	31.30 Dec.	....	....	....	....	1,410	....
....	....	625	....	....	625	....	....	....	....	....	....	S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. "A"	40,236	40,236	£20	Dec.	Int. Div. 15/- a/c 1937 (38/4d. 1936) Coupon 47	30-9-37	635 Mar	625 June	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	25.50	....	....	25.50	....	....	....	....	....	....	do. "B"	359,280	108,565	£1	Dec.	Int. Div. 9d a/c 1937 (1/6. 2d, 1936) Coupon 20	30-9-37	25.75 Apr	24.50 Feb	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	25.50	....	....	25.50	....	....	....	....	....	....	do. "C"		250,000	£1	Dec.	Int. Div. 9d a/c 1937 (1/7. 2d, 1936) Coupon 16	30-9-37	25.75 July	24.50 Feb	....	....	....	....	....	....
												Miscellaneous															
....	....	5.75	....	....	5.75	....	....	....	....	....	....	Auto Palace Co., Ltd.	150,000	118,500	$8	Dec.	Fin. $0.60, 1933 (Nil 1936)	5-4-34	6.30 Mar	5 Feb	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	10	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	Bakerite Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A. "B"	50,000	49,703	$10	Dec.	Final $0.30 (Mkg. $0.80, 1934) (Nil 1936)	11-3-35	10.75 July	4.35 Mar	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	14.75	....	....	14.75	....	....	....	....	....	....	Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co., Ltd. (ord.)	200,000	140,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.40 for 1936	20-4-37	16.50 Mar	14.25 Jan	....	....	....	....	200	....
....	....	12	....	....	12	....	....	....	....	....	....	China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ltd.	500,000	231,803	T10	Feb.	Div. 6% = $0.84 a/c 1936-37	10-5-37	13 Mar	13 Mar	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	16	....	....	16	....	....	....	....	....	....	Chinese Eng. & Mining Co., Ltd. "Bearer"	2,000,000	1,960,000	£1	June	Div. 5% a/c 1936-37 Free of I/T Coupon 44	Pending	20.25 July	13 Jan	....	....	....	....	14	....
....	....	10	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	Chosen Corporation, Ltd.	750,000	575,000	£1	June	Div. 1/- (Mkg. 1/9d. 1937) Less Tax	15-1-38	10.60 Jan	9.40 Jan	....	....	....	....	6,500	....
....	....	15	....	....	15	....	....	....	....	....	....	Chilly Dairy Co., Ltd.	40,000	40,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1, 1934-35 (Nil 1936)	27-11-35	17 May	15 July	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	27	....	....	27	....	....	....	....	....	....	Champ Course Francais French	30,000	30,000	$20	Dec.	Div. $4.50 a/c 1934 (Nil 1936)	1-3-35	22 May	22 May	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	27	....	....	27	....	....	....	....	....	....	(French Race Course) non-French				Dec.	Div. $4.50 a/c 1934 (Nil 1936)	1-3-35	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	50	....	....	50	....	....	....	....	....	....	do. Founders		6,490	Free	Dec.	Div. $4.62 a/c 1934 (Nil 1936)	1-3-35	50 July	45 May	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	10	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	Hall & Holtz, Ltd.	28,000	26,342	$20	Feb.	Div. 5% = $1, 1934-35 (1936-37 Nil)	30-5-35	10 June	9 Mar	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	*7	....	....	*7	....	....	....	....	....	....	Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels, Ltd.	1,500,000	1,193,867	H $7.50	Dec.	Div. H. $0. 25 a/c 1936	16-4-37	8 Apr	8 Apr	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	18	....	....	18	....	....	....	....	....	....	Kelly & Walsh, Ltd.	75,000	45,000	$10	Feb.	Div. $1 a/c 1936-37	25-6-37	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	5	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	Mark L. Moody, Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	100,000	30,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $0.05 a/c 1936	27-2-37	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	8.10	....	....	8.10	....	....	....	....	....	....	Metal Industries of China, Ltd.	2,000,000	250,000	$5	Dec.	....	....	10.70 June	5.90 Apr	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	1.45	....	....	1.45	....	....	....	....	....	....	Millington, Ltd.	300,000	110,000	$4	Dec.	....	....	1.50 June	1.25 Jan	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	2.50	....	....	2.50	....	....	....	....	....	....	Office Appliance Co., Ltd.	80,000	60,000	T8.50	Dec.	Div. Tls. 0.40 = $0.56, a/c 1932 (Nil 1936)	21-4-33	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	2	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	S'hai Explosives & Development Co., Ltd.	600,000	597,251	T2.50	Dec.	Div. $0.14, 1935 (Nil 1936)	31-7-36	3 Feb	1.75 June	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	7.50	....	....	7.50	....	....	....	....	....	....	S'hai Vacuum Cleaning & Storage Co., Ltd.	35,000	23,000	T10	Dec.	Div. 10% = $1.40 a/c 1936	8-3-37	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	1.25	....	....	1.25	....	....	....	....	....	....	S'hai Waterworks Fittings Co., Ltd.	500,000	301,765	T1	Dec.	Div. 8% (= $0.11) 1935 (Nil 1936)	17-3-36	1.50 Jan	1 Feb	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	5	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	Union Brewery, Ltd.	500,000	200,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.25, 1933 (Nil 1936)	27-5-34	5.50 May	3 Mar	....	....	....	....	....	....
												Bonds and Preferences															
....	....	90	....	....	90	....	....	....	....	....	....	American-Asiatic Underwriters, Cum. Pref. 8%	5,000	5,000	T100	Dec.	4% = $5.59 for ½ year ended Dec. 31, 1934	31-12-34	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	75	....	....	75	....	....	....	....	....	....	do. Cum. Pref. 7%	7,500	7,500	T100	Dec.	3½% = $4.89 for ½ year ended 31-3-35	1-4-35	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	15	....	....	15	....	....	....	....	....	....	Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co., Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	100,000	80,000	T10	Dec.	Div. 8% = $1.12 for 1936	20-4-37	17.50 May	15.50 Jan	....	....	....	....	100	....
....	....	4	....	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	Ch. Finance Corp. Fed. Inc., U.S.A. (Pref.) 8%	600,000	205,125	T5	Dec.	Quarterly Div. Tls. 0.10 = $0.14, 1933	30-12-33	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	170	....	....	170	....	....	....	....	....	....	Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	10,000	9,000	T100	Dec.	Div. Tls. 8 = $11.19, 1936	31-3-37	170 July	165 Apr	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	6.90	....	....	6.90	....	....	....	....	....	....	New Eng. & Shipbg Works, Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	500,000	300,000	T5	Dec.	Tls. 0.20 = $0.28, for ½ yr. ending 30-6-34	21-6-37	7 July	5 Jan	....	....	....	....	1,400	....
....	....	125	....	....	125	....	....	....	....	....	....	S'hai Power Co. Tls. 6 cum. Pref. stock	230,000	220,000	T100	Dec.	4th. Quarterly Div. Tls. 1.50 = $2.0979, a/c 1937	5-1-38	137.50 Feb	122 Jan	....	....	....	....	454	....
....	....	66	....	....	66	....	....	....	....	....	....	Shanghai Tug & Lighter Co., Ltd. 7% pref.	10,000	10,000	T50	Dec.	Tls. 3.50 = $4.89 1936	30-3-37	73 Mar	65 May	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	14	....	....	14	....	....	....	....	....	....	S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. 7% cum. pref.	100,000	100,000	T10	Dec.	3½% = $0.49 for half year ended 30-6-37	30-9-37	17 Mar	16 July	....	....	....	....	875	....
....	....	13.75	....	....	13.75	....	....	....	....	....	....	do. 6½% cum. pref.	100,000	100,000	T10	Dec.	3¼% = $0.45 for half year ended 30-6-37	30-9-37	16 July	13.75 Dec.	....	....	....	....	....	....
												Cottons															
....	....	14	....	....	12	....	....	....	....	....	....	Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd., Ordinary	2,000,000	1,200,000	T5	Dec.	Div. $0.60 a/c 1936	31-3-37	18.50 June	12 Dec	....	....	....	....	58,900	....
....	....	95	....	....	95	....	....	....	....	....	....	Shanghai Cotton Mfg. Co., Ltd.	240,000	240,000	$50	Oct.	Div. $2.50 & Bonus $1.25 for half year ended 30-4-37	27-5-37	121.25 Apr	92 Jan	....	....	....	....	30	....
....	....	37	....	....	37	....	....	....	....	....	....	Zoong Sing Cotton Mills, Ltd.	200,000	150,000	T10	June	Div. $5 & Bonus $5 (Mkg. $10, a/c 1936-37)	30-12-37	35 June	29 Mar	....	....	....	....	....	....
												Plantations															
....	....	16	....	....	16	....	....	....	....	....	....	Alma Estates, Ltd.	70,000	70,000	£1 (T9)	Sept.	Final Div. $1- (Mkg. $2 a/c 1936-37)	16-12-37	30 Apr	16xD. Dec.	....	....	....	....	600	....
....	....	7	....	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	Anglo-Dutch (Java) Plantations Ltd.	400,000	350,000	10s (T4½)	Dec.	2nd. Int. Div. $0.30 (Mkg. $0.60, 1937) ($0.45, 1936)	22-11-37	13.75 Apr	7 Dec.	....	....	....	....	2,500	....
....	....	12	....	....	12	11	....	....	....	11	....	Anglo-Java Estates, Ltd.	500,000	496,000	10s.	Dec.	2nd. Int. Div. $0.50 (Mkg. $1.00, 1937) ($0.70, 1936)	29-11-37	19.60 Apr	12 Dec.	11 Jan	11 Jan	....	200	9,300	200
....	....	4	....	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	Ayer Tawah Rub. Plantation Co., Ltd.	335,497	335,497	T1	Sept.	Final Div. $0.25 (Mkg. $0.55 a/c 1936-37)	17-12-37	1.25 Apr	4 Dec.	....	....	....	....	3,700	....
....	....	0.80	....	....	0.83	0.80	....	....	....	0.80	....	Batu Anam (Johore) Rub. Ests., Ltd.	960,000	960,000	T0.10	Dec.	2nd. Int. Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.06, 1937) ($0.07, 1936)	12-11-37	1.86 Apr	0.85 Dec.	0.83 Jan	0.80 Jan	3,000	5,000	36,000	8,000
....	....	3.25	....	....	3.25	....	....	....	....	....	....	Bute Plantations (1913), Ltd.	500,000	353,698	T1	Dec.	3rd. Int. Div. $0.10 (Mkg. $0.30, 1937) ($0.25, 1936)	17-12-37	6.40 Apr	3.20 Dec.	....	....	....	....	30,400	....
....	....	0.95	....	....	0.95	....	....	....	....	....	....	Chemor United Rubber Co., Ltd.	1,356,747	956,747	T0.10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.04 (Mkg. $0.10 a/c 1936)	20-5-37	2.05 Apr	0.90 Dec.	....	....	....	....	29,650	....
....	....	0.50	....	....	0.50	....	....	....	....	....	....	Cheng Rubber Estates, Ltd.	1,095,850	1,051,438	T0.10	June	Final Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.06 a/c 1936-37)	13-10-37	1.31 Apr	0.47 Dec.	....	....	....	....	46,450	....
....	....	3.40	....	....	3.40	....	....	....	....	....	....	Consolidated Rub. Estates (1914), Ltd.	500,000	484,837	T0.75	Dec.	3rd. Int. Div. $0.10 (Mkg. $0.30, 1937) ($0.20, 1936)	22-12-37	7 Apr	3.40 Dec.	....	....	....	....	22,180	....
....	....	4.90	....	....	4.90	....	....	....	....	....	....	Dominion Rubber Co., Ltd.	350,000	200,000	T1	Dec.	3rd. Int. Div. $0.15 (Mkg. $0.45, 1937) ($0.34, 1936)	17-12-37	10.15 Apr	4.90 Dec.	....	....	....	....	11,250	....
....	....	24	....	....	24	....	....	....	....	....	....	Gula-Kalumpong Rub. Ests., Ltd.	750,000	665,000	£1	Dec.	Div. 6½% 1936, less I/T 4/6d. in 2 (Coupon 33)	15-3-37	53 Mar	33.25 May	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	1.65	....	....	1.80	1.65	....	....	....	1.65	....	Java-Cons. Rub. & Coffee Ests. Ltd.	850,000	750,000	2/-	Dec.	2nd Int. Div. $0.06 (Mkg. $0.12, 1937) ($0.10, 1936)	2-11-37	3.20 Apr	1.80 Dec.	1.65 Jan	1.65 Jan	....	7,000	25,050	7,000
....	....	34	....	....	34	....	....	....	....	....	....	Kapayang Rubber Estates, Co., Ltd.	15,000	14,800	T10	Dec.	2nd. Int. Div. $0.50 (Mkg. $1-, 1937) ($1.80, 1936)	22-10-37	38 Apr	27 Jan	....	....	....	....	375	....
....	....	2.45	....	....	2.50	....	....	....	....	....	....	Kota Bahroe Rub. Ests. (1921), Ltd.	500,000	461,804	T0.75	June	Int. Div. $0.05 a/c 1937-38 ($0.25, 1936-37)	12-1-38	4.85 Apr	3.50 Dec.	....	....	....	....	32,242	....
....	....	0.75	....	....	0.80	0.76	....	....	....	0.75	....	Kroewoek Java Plantations Ltd.	2,200,000	2,200,000	T0.10	Dec.	2nd. Int. Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.06, 1937) (0.05, 1936)	29-11-37	1.53 Apr	0.78 Dec.	0.78 Jan	0.75 Jan	3,000	3,000	85,150	6,000
....	....	8	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	Langkat	250,000	250,000	Gs.10	Oct.	Div. Tls. 0.50 = $0.70, 1928-29	3-3-30	14.50 Mar	7 Jan	....	....	....	....	2,002	....
....	....	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	Padang Rubber Co., Ltd.	500,000	500,000	T1	Apr.	Int. Div. $0.03, 1937-38 ($0.12, 1936-37) [1935-36]	17-11-37	1.90 Apr	1.26 June	....	....	....	....	16,600	....
....	....	....	....	....	0.60	0.60	....	....	....	0.60	....	Permata Rubber Estate, Ltd.	350,000	317,219	$1	Oct.	2nd. Int. Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.06, 1936-37) ($0.05,	15-10-37	1.10 Apr	0.60 Dec.	0.60 Jan	0.60 Jan	2,000	1,000	1,775	3,000
0.60	....	0.70	....	....	0.70	....	....	....	....	....	....	Repah Rubber & Tapioca Ests. Ltd.	1,350,000	1,350,000	T0.10	Dec.	2nd. Int. Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.06, 1937) ($0.05, 1936)	12-11-37	1.28 Apr	0.70 Dec.	....	....	....	....	29,100	....
....	....	2.70	....	....	2.70	2.70	....	....	....	2.70	....	Rubber Trust, Ltd.	25,000,000	1,082,000	T1	Sept.	Final Div. $0.20 (Mkg. $0.40, a/c 1936-37)	23-12-37	5.35 Apr	2.90 Dec.	2.70 Jan	2.70 Jan	....	2,000	8,000	2,000
....	....	0.67	....	....	0.67	....	....	....	....	....	....	Samagaga Rubber Co., Ltd.	6,000,000	1,011,000	T0.10	Sept.	Div. $0.05 a/c 1936-37	16-12-37	1.10 Apr	0.55 Jan	....	....	....	....	30,665	....
....	....	0.73	....	....	0.73	....	....	....	....	....	....	Semambu Rubber Ests. Ltd.	900,000	900,000	T0.10	Dec.	2nd Int. Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.06, 1937) ($0.03, 1936)	29-10-37	1.35 Apr	0.72 Dec.	....	....	....	....	3,650	....
....	....	0.80	....	....	0.80	....	....	....	....	....	....	Senawang Rub. Ests., Co. (1921), Ltd.	1,140,000	1,140,000	T0.10	Jan.	2nd Int. Div. $0.02(Mkg. $0.04,1937-38($0.07,1936-37)	Pending	1.49 Apr	0.80 Dec.	....	....	....	....	98,125	....
....	....	4.90	....	....	4.90	....	....	....	....	....	....	Shanghai Kedah Plantations, Ltd.	400,000	300,000	T1	Sept.	Final Div. $0.25 (Mkg. $0.65, 1936-37)	17-12-37	8.75 Apr	4.80 Dec.	....	....	....	....	9,945	....
....	....	0.27	....	....	0.30	0.30	....	....	....	0.27	....	S'hai Kelantan Rub. Ests. (1925), Ltd.	1,400,000	1,400,000	T0.10	Dec.	Int. Div. $0.02 a/c 1937 ($0.02 1936)	30-9-37	0.65 Apr	0.30 Dec.	0.30 Jan	0.27 Jan	3,000	7,000	109,500	10,000
....	....	24	....	....	24	....	....	....	....	....	....	S'hai Malay Rub.) ord.	30,000	30,000	T10	Dec.	Fin. Div. Tls. 0.50 = $0.70 (Mkg. Tls. 1 = $1.40, 1929)	31-3-30	30 Apr	14.50 Jan	....	....	....	....	1,000	....
....	....	30	....	....	30	....	....	....	....	....	....	Ests., Ltd.) 8% cum. part. pref.	30,000	27,380	T10	Dec.	Div. 8% = $1.12, a/c 1935	23-8-37	37.50 Mar	33 Mar	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	2.50	....	....	2.50	....	....	....	....	....	....	S'hai Pahang Rubber Estate, Ltd.	300,000	235,900	T1	June	Final Div. $0.10 (Mkg. $0.24 1936-37)	15-10-37	5.90 Apr	3.00 Aug	....	....	....	....	5,000	....
....	....	1.40	....	....	1.40	....	....	....	....	....	....	S'hai Serembau Rubber Estates, Ltd.	325,000	325,000	T1	Dec.	2nd. Int. Div. $0.05 (Mkg. $0.10, 1937) ($0.10, 1936)	29-10-37	2.35 Apr	1.40 July	....	....	....	....	8,750	....
....	....	10	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	S'hai Sumatra Rubber Ests., Ltd.	120,000	76,956	T5	Oct.	Int. Div. $0.50 a/c 1936-37 ($0.30 1935-36)	23-7-37	21 Apr	13.90 June	....	....	....	....	600	....
....	....	1.40	....	....	1.40	....	....	....	....	....	....	Sua Manggis Rubber Co., Ltd.	280,000	270,000	T1	Dec.	2nd. Int. Div. $0.05 (Mkg. $0.10 1937) ($0.09, 1936)	22-10-37	2.41 Apr	1.40 July	....	....	....	....	18,000	....
....	....	4.90	....	....	4.90	....	....	....	....	....	....	Sungala Rubber Estate, Ltd.	180,000	180,000	T1	Mar.	2nd. Int.Div. $0.10(Mkg $0.20,1937

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BIRTH

JOHNSTON.—On Friday, January 14, 1938, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to IRENE, wife of G. A. Johnston, of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia & China, Shanghai, a daughter. Both well. 12011

MARRIAGES

BICKFORD—LAMBE.—On January 13, 1938, at Kaduna, Nogeria, JOHN BURROUGHS ASHBURNET BICKFORD, the Worcestershire Regiment, younger son of Colonel and Mrs. Bickford of "Dunslands," Camberley, Surrey, to PHYLLIS RUTH LAMBE, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lambe, of Shanghai. 12031

PALAMOUNTAIN—TALBOT.—On January 14, 1938, at H.B.M. Consulate-General, before Mr. A. G. N. Ogden and at Church St. Pierre, Shanghai, by Father Jacquinot de Besange, MARGARET CECILIA, youngest daughter of the late Mr. William E. Talbot, of Birmingham, England and Mrs. M. Talbot, to Mr. ALAN PALAMOUNTAIN, son of Mr. J. R. PALAMOUNTAIN, of Launceston, Tasmania, Australia. 12019

DEATHS

CAMPBELL.—On January 3, 1938, at Edinburgh, suddenly, GAVIN L. CAMPBELL. 12013

LING.—On January 14, 1938, at 2.30 p.m. TSE-JEN, LING, Secretary of China Alcohol Distillery, and third son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ling. Funeral services conducted by Rev. H. B. Lin, will take place at 4 p.m. to-day, January 15, at the International Funeral Directors, Kiaochow Road. Interment will take place at Hungjao, next Tuesday. -625

MARCHAND.—On Thursday, January 13, 1938, at her residence, 246 Route Vallon, Shanghai, JEANNE MARIE MARCHAND, aged 62 years, the dearly-beloved wife of Mr. P. Marchand, mother of Jean (Switzerland), Rose and Marguerite Marchand (Shanghai). Removed to the parlours of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road. Funeral services will be held to-day, Saturday, January 15, at St. Pierre's Church, Avenue Dubail, at 2 p.m., to be followed by interment at Lokawei Cemetery. (Flowers may be sent or donations may be made to the "Helvetia." Swiss Benevolent Society.) 12014

IN MEMORIAM

TAYLOR.—In ever loving and grateful memory of JEANNIE GRAY, beloved wife of H. H. Taylor, who passed to rest January 15, 1937. Loved and respected by all who knew her. -573

IMPARTIAL NOT NEUTRAL

THE POSTPONEMENT

The report that the liaison conference between members of the Japanese Government and Imperial Headquarters, which was to have met to-day to consider a public statement clarifying Japan's attitude and policies towards China, will not be held this week has given rise to all manner of speculation. No reason has been given, but the most commonly accepted story is that Tokyo is awaiting further reports upon the attitude of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, indicating a belief that there may be some modification of the very firm stand he originally took towards the Japanese terms for cessation of hostilities. As was pointed out at the time, those terms amounted to a demand for unconditional surrender and it was not surprising that the Chinese leader should have rejected them. Indeed, had he accepted, it would have been so complete a *volte face*, in circumstances which so many Chinese would contend made it unnecessary and improper, that it is doubtful whether the Generalissimo's authority would have remained intact thereafter. Not only that Japanese initial successes had been foreseen and the fact that they came up to expectation in no way daunted the Chinese Government which had been preaching consistently the possibility of a long-drawn-out struggle as the only means of transforming original Japanese victory into the ardently wished-for defeat. Towards that end there has been a change in China's methods of warfare, and for the future a relinquishment of the use of massed forces is contemplated and the adoption of guerilla tactics which are reported to have proved successful in north China. It has been amply proved that despite the desperate courage of the Chinese soldier, inadequate equipment makes him no real match for the highly organized and maintained Japanese forces in the mass, though the methods now contemplated may present the Japanese with a large number of elusive opponents difficult to get at or defeat.

There is every reason to believe that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek will be anxious to give the general adoption of the new method sufficient trial before making any change in the position he has already taken up. It seems generally accepted now that the Imperial Conference in Tokyo was not for the purpose of declaring war, but for the consideration of such other steps short of it as might be considered appropriate. If the speculations of the Japanese press as to what has been decided are correct, and represent all that has been done, it must be confessed that the parturition of the mountain has resulted in the production of a remarkably small rodent. The recognition of the autonomous government in Peiping is a foregone conclusion: it would be amazing if Japan showed any reluctance to recognize an organization of its own creation, no matter how imperfect it may be or how radical a departure it is from original plans. The withdrawal of Mr. S. Kawagoe, Japanese Ambassador to China, is also regarded as a possibility but even that should prove no serious blow to China. The continuance of his presence in this country after the commencement of hostilities was one of those peculiar anomalies with which the present situation abounds. His withdrawal prior to the firing of the first shot would have been the proper thing in the ordinary course of events, as a diplomatic prelude to war, and for him to be recalled now would mean that Japan was at last taking those steps which would place these present hostilities in proper perspective and give them that implied definition which up to the moment has been denied.

There is something in the belief that moderate opinion is making headway in Japan. From the very commencement of this tragic affair it has been apparent that a very important section of Japanese public opinion has watched with dismay what has been taking place. For the moment, owing to the general enthusiasm for war engendered by efficient control of the Japanese press, that particular school of thought was rendered inarticulate. It is so still, so far as public utterances and writings are concerned, and with the military and naval castes so firmly in the saddle is likely to continue so. That does not, however, prevent the exercise of subterranean influence. Should Hankow remain obdurate in its refusal to accept Japanese terms, the growth of that influence is likely to receive a severe but temporary setback, but sooner or later it will attain sufficient proportions to bring about some moderation of present Japanese counsels. This moderate school of thought realizes that the full extent of Japanese naval and military commitments in China has not yet been reached, that they will continue to increase in an almost geometrical progression, for so long as Hankow remains in its present temper, Japanese ambitions can only be realized by the complete subjugation of the country by the exercise of much larger forces than have been used up to the present, imposing as they have been. In the meantime Japan, an essentially commercial nation, is suffering by reason of the limitations it has been found necessary to impose on its trade and the growing reluctance of the public in certain important customer nations to purchase its goods. Exchange restrictions and all devices for the protection of Japan's financial position may prove successful in that respect, but the industry and commerce of the nation are paying a high price. There is every reason, therefore, to believe that Japanese economists are as desirous of peace as reports from Tokyo suggest. They would heartily welcome Chiang Kai-shek's acceptance of the terms offered, but if the Generalissimo decides for the present to continue the struggle no great surprise need be felt, for with all her successes Japan is not likely to emerge from it scatheless.

FREE STATE TALKS

The Anglo-Irish Conference to be held on London, commencing on Monday next will be heartily welcomed by those who desire to see an end of the bickering between Britain and the Irish Free State. The agenda to be followed has not yet been prepared, and will not be until preliminary discussions prove that there is some possibility of satisfactory results emerging from the conference. On a number of subjects it should be comparatively easy, given good will on both sides, to arrive at solutions which would remove some causes for mutual criticism. It has not yet been announced whether the question of northern Ireland will be discussed, but, if it is, there is little real prospect of Mr. de Valera having his demand for the union of Northern Ireland with the Irish Free State met in the way he would like. The only way in which the two portions of Ireland can be brought under one government is by the consent of the majority of the voters in Northern Ireland. At the present moment those in favour of maintaining the *status quo* predominate, and it is unbelievable that Great Britain would accept any request such as Mr. de Valera is expected to make. To agree to fusion of the two states would be the height of disloyalty to people who have so steadfastly stood by Great Britain and would amount to the handing over of a prosperous and industrious minority to a majority which only wishes for the union on purely economic grounds. It is true that there are Nationalists in the north, and it is shown in one of the telegrams published elsewhere that there will be a severe internal struggle concerning the question of reunion with the south. Suggestions which have been made that union might be effected by force do not particularly commend themselves, for it would be Britain's stern duty, if anything of the sort were attempted, to intervene in behalf of the north, to see that that liberty to which it clings so tenaciously should not be taken from it.

THE FRENCH CRISIS

The French Premier, M. Camille Chautemps, was unable to convince the Chamber of Deputies that there was any real cause for panic in the financial situation and as was predicted in Paris on Thursday his Cabinet did not last out the night. It has been apparent for a very considerable time that conditions in France were not good. The recent strike in the public utility services was firmly handled by the Premier, though its root causes still remain. The discovery of a huge plot against the present system of Government added to the general uneasiness felt and contributed undoubtedly to the flight of the franc which has brought about a serious drop in exchange. There is a probability that Great Britain and the United States parties to the tri-partite agreement will be appealed to for assistance, and it is believed that this will be granted subject to certain undisclosed conditions. Political crises in France have by now come to be regarded as the order of the day, and their recurrence need not necessarily raise undue alarm, though it has to be pointed out that the frequency with which they occur renders French influence in Europe rather more unstable than it should be. It should be remembered, however, that in the face of danger France is always ready to sink political differences and to present a united front against any enemy who might appear. M. Pierre-Etienne Flandin, a former Prime Minister, suggests that there are only two ways out of the present impasse: exchange control, rupture of the agreement between France, Great Britain and the United States together with the establishment of a political dictatorship, or a break in the United Front. Any other policy he contended was likely to incur the risk of exhausting the exchange equalization fund, reduce the gold reserve of the Bank of France and jeopardise France's prestige abroad. The two alternatives which he presents are sufficiently alarming, and the first, in particular, would mean the negation of all that France has stood for in the past and the rejection of the principle of democracy to which she has been a stout adherent. That would indeed be regrettable, but that there is a tendency in that direction is evidenced by the fact that when the socialist groups had announced their decision to support M. Chautemps, the Rightist groups reconsidered their position and ultimately decided to vote against him. Whoever succeeds M. Chautemps will have a singularly difficult task ahead, and the Right may succeed in forcing the adoption of just the policy which will bring about the establishment of the dictatorship which is so greatly feared amongst a very large section of the French populace. It is doubtful whether such a move would prove successful. Certainly in the early stages it would find its authority questioned at every turn, and democratic principles being so thoroughly ingrained in the mentality of the people any dictatorship would find it exceedingly difficult to exert its authority. France, as a totalitarian state would appear strange to the democracies who stand by her and might even endanger the cordiality which at present exists amongst them.

IN PARENTHESIS

Difference

AN optimist is a man who looks at his glass and says it is half full; a pessimist is one who looks at it and says it is half empty.

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Reduce

"AND what, my dear," said the vicar unctuously, to the small girl, "will you do when you grow up to be a great big girl?"

The child looked at him scornfully. "Reduce!" she replied.

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Just Like Mine

MOTHER: "Why do you play with all those rough boys? Why don't you play with the nice little boys?"

Son: "Their mothers won't let me."

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Chimney-piece Inscription

ALL ye who stand before the fire,
Pray sit ye down, is my desire,
That other folk, as well as you,
May see the fire and feel it too.

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Making and Spending

"WHAT does your husband do when he's at home?"

"Thinks of new ways to make more money."

"And what do you do?"

"Oh I think of new ways of spending it."

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No Valet Wanted

"I'M a crooner on the radio," announced the customer in the chemist's shop. "What's the best thing for my throat?"

The chemist was an opera enthusiast, and nothing but; and he replied: "A razor, sir."

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Ill-Treated

SOME convicts were being transferred on a wet day from one prison to another, and at a railway station they were kept standing in the rain. "If this is the way His Majesty treats his convicts," muttered one of them, "he doesn't deserve to have any."

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Nothing Coming

"WHEN were you born?" demanded the magistrate."

No reply.

"Did you hear what I said?" came the question in angry tones. "When is your birthday?"

"What do you care?" grunted the prisoner sulkily. "You ain't goin' to give me nothink, are you?"

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Poor Thing

THE doctor had overhauled his patient.

"You confess that you are bad-tempered," he said. "I suppose you know that science has discovered that your bad temper is caused by an ugly little microbe?"

"Hush!" said the patient, with fear in his tones. "For goodness sake speak quietly, doctor! She's sitting in the next room."

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Tri-way Argument

A DOCTOR, an architect and a politician were discussing which belonged to the most ancient profession. Said the doctor: "Eve was made from Adam's rib. That surely involved a surgical operation."

"Yes," said the architect, "but before that, order was brought out of chaos. That was an architect's job."

"But how about that chaos," said the politician, "didn't anyone make that?"

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Lines To A Lady

Lady, when I look into your eyes,
Lady, when I look upon your mouth,
There's a simple splendour in the skies,
There's a coolness blowing from the south
(Only this is true, the rest is lies).

Lady, when I dream upon your hair,
Lady, when I touch your tinted hand,
All the wonder of the world is there,
Out of every sea and every land.
(Nothing else is rich, or strange, or fair).

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Authors

THE story told recently about Horace Greeley reminds a correspondent of another "classic" anecdote from the world of journalism.

The story, no doubt, is told about many celebrated journalists, and concerns one who was even fonder of the habit of contracting words than the rest of his colleagues.

He was engaged upon a long and learned leader upon theology and kindred subjects, and used the contraction "tn." The printer brought to bear on the problem all the resources of his craft, but had to admit defeat. He approached the writer's sanctum and asked him to elucidate the mystery.

There was a touch of annoyance in the answer—"Why, it's as plain as a pikestaff—transubstantiation!"

THE WEATHER

The temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai for 24 hours ending 7 p.m.

Yesterday	Min.	35.0	Max.	47.0
Same date, 1937	Min.	40.5	Max.	45.5

Rainfall nil.

Siccawei Recordings:—

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Same date, 1937	Min.	38.1	Max.	44.8

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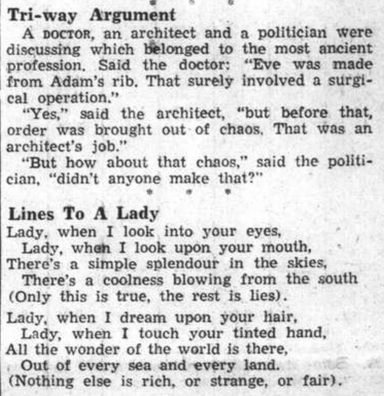

State on the morning of the 13th:—High pressures over China and south Japan. The typhoon, as a low area, is crossing slowly northern Luzon, advancing north-westward. Northerly to north-easterly winds along the China Coast. Regular winter monsoon over the Eastern Sea and around Formosa. Fine weather in north China. Overcast to cloudy over our regions. Overcast over the Eastern Sea and some local rain around Formosa.

State on the morning of the 14th:—Normal and steady pressure. Northerly breeze. Overcast weather.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Overcast to cloudy weather with light morning mist and south-westerly to north-westerly winds around Shantung: with north-westerly to north-easterly breezes over our regions. Overcast with regular monsoon over the Eastern Sea. Some rains around Formosa.—Siccawei Observatory.

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SECOND FRENCH POPULAR FRONT GOVERNMENT FALLS

M. Camille Chautemps's Ministry Resigns When Socialists Leave, Rejecting Communists

RADICALS EXPECTED TO FORM CABINET

Paris, Jan. 14.

FRANCE'S second Popular Front Government, led by M. Camille Chautemps, resigned to-day following the defection of the Socialist members of the Cabinet over the question of controlling foreign exchange dealings. The final decision, made without a vote being taken, came with dramatic suddenness after a day and night of uncertainty.

M. Chautemps, who succeeded M. Leon Blum as Premier last June, had a 45-minute talk with the President, M. Albert Lebrun, after his resignation, and a few hours later the President began consultations with Ministerial leaders regarding a new Premier.

The fall of the Chautemps Cabinet means the end of Popular Front government in France, at least temporarily, since the Popular Front cannot exist without Communists, whom the Radicals have now rejected. Opinion in the lobbies believe that a Radical government, receiving some support from the Left and Centre blocs, will be formed.

M. Chautemps was first summoned by the President to-day but declined to form a new ministry, as he considered the incidents which caused the crisis too recent.

Opposition to any government including parties of men who had not sworn solidarity with the Popular Front was to-day declared by the Political Bureau of the Communist Party.

The resignation of the Socialist Ministers from the Cabinet, which was the direct cause of the Government's exit, was preceded by a dramatic incident in the Chamber of Deputies.

The Communist leader declared that his party would only vote for the Government in order to maintain the Popular Front.

M. Chautemps replied that in this case he would give the Communist Party full freedom of action.

The Socialist Party then retired from the Chamber, and the Socialist Ministers finally decided that their position was untenable.

M. Chautemps' Fight

M. Chautemps strived until the very last to avert a crisis, making two fighting speeches within a few hours in the Chamber last night.

In his first address, made before a packed Chamber, he denied that there was any real cause for panic in the financial situation, which in December was satisfactory and, barring accidents, was on the way to creating confidence.

The budget, he asserted, was balanced, and the Treasury was able to meet all obligations in the present quarter. There had been social agitation, however, and a systematic exploitation of that agitation in talks of a general strike, which had aggravated the country's nerves. Fortunately, M. Chautemps declared, these troubles were now appeased.

Fair Dealing for Labour

"I categorically deny," he thundered, "that in dealing with the strike I was double-faced. I consider labour conflicts with humane sentiments, but I do not countenance revolt in public services against the nation. I shall give an arbitration award in full serenity."

M. Chautemps said that a social legislation code would be voted by Parliament, which would be justly proud of it.

"In exchange for the security of labour," he went on, "workers must recognize what Parliament has done for them by renouncing all forms of illegality."

To the accompaniment of applause from the Centre and the Right and various members of the Left, M. Chautemps added:

"I declare with untroubled firmness that if certain men persist in disturbing the public peace, the force of the law will descend upon them."

Menace of the Cagoulards

The Premier, who then referred to the activities of the Cagoulard (the Hooded Men) or Csar organization, was interrupted by an uproar of insults which the Extreme Right and the Communists began to hurl at each other.

When the tumult had died down, M. Chautemps continued. In the face of criminal acts of this gravity, he declared, there had not been absolute unanimity in approving the actions of the Minister of the Interior (M. Marx Dormoy) and condemning the criminals. This was the result of the uneasiness and moral sickness within the country.

He said that the Government was resolved to obtain social peace and to balance the budget, and condemned any control of exchange.

In conclusion, M. Chautemps asked the various Parliamentary groups to meet and decide their attitude towards his declaration, particularly respecting monetary freedom.

Thereafter the Chamber adjourned until 9.30 p.m. but did not reassemble until 11.15 as the Socialists and Communists were holding lengthy private sessions during which ques-

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American Fleet In Far East To Be Strengthened

Three More Cruisers to Stay After Singapore Visit

VAST MANOEUVRES WILL INAUGURATE BASE

Washington, Jan. 14.

The United States cruisers Trenton, Milwaukee and Memphis, which will attend the formal opening of the Naval Base at Singapore, will remain in Far Eastern waters after the ceremony as reinforcements for the United States Asiatic Fleet, according to reliable although unofficial quarters here to-day.

The warships are at present on their way to Sydney to attend the 150th anniversary of New South Wales. They are commanded by Rear-Admiral Julius Townsend.

The only cruisers in the United States Asiatic Flcet at present are the Augusta, the flagship of Admiral H. E. Yarnell, and the Marblehead, which was sent to China at the beginning of the Sino-Japanese hostilities.—Reuter.

U.S. Use of British Base

Washington, Jan. 13.

The American light cruisers Memphis, Trenton and Milwaukee will pay a courtesy call at Singapore after their forthcoming visit to Sydney, Australia, with the U.S.S. Louisville, the Navy Department announced here to-day. The American warships will take part in the opening of the new Singapore naval dock on Feb. 14. Some observers here considered the visit particularly significant in view of the crisis in the Far East.

Other observers recalled reports, which never have been officially denied, that in the event of duty in the Orient, the American fleet might be invited to base at Singapore. It was pointed out that alhough American warships previously had made routine visits to Singapore, this is the first time American ships have been ordered to make a special call at the strong British base.

Navy Department officials said present plans do not call for any other official visits by the American warships in the Orient. The possibility that the ships might visit Chinese or Japanese ports therefore has been eliminated. It was believed likely, however, that the ships would touch at Manila and Honolulu for brief visits while en route back to the United States.

Singapore Manoeuvres

Reports from London to-day revealed that H.M.S. Emerald, flagship of the East Indies station, two cruisers from the British East Indies station and three escort vessels from the Royal Indian Navy would take part in the opening of the Singapore base. One or two craft from the China Fleet also will visit Singapore to take part in the ceremonies and manœuvres, it was announced.

More than 25 British warships, 10,000 British troops and over 100 aeroplanes will participate in the Singapore manœuvres which open on January 31 and will continue until February 5.

The British manœuvres, which will coincide with a similar display of power by American armed forces on the Pacific, will be the largest ever staged in Singapore. The new 15 and 18-inch guns protecting the British base will go into action for the first time as the crack fighting units of the British Army, Navy and Air Force in the Far East engage in the strategically timed military games.—United Press.

Night Air Raid Drill

Singapore, Jan. 14.

The first night air raid drill to be held at the British Naval base here will take place during the forthcoming manœuvres when all lights in the city will be turned out on the sounding of the raid signal, it was announced to-day.

H.M.S. Eagle and six destroyers arrived to-day to take part in the big war games in which land, air and sea forces will cooperate in extensive manœuvres.—United Press.

HONGKONG REFUTES RUMOURS

Reported Perilous Conditions Do Not Exist

Hongkong, Jan. 14.

Alarmist reports abroad regarding alleged perilous conditions in the Colony are refuted in a statement issued to-day by the Hongkong Government.

Such reports, the statement declares, are baseless and have doubtless arisen from the present Sino-Japanese hostilities. These hostilities, however, it adds, impart no risk to persons or property in Hongkong, while there is no sound reason to believe that such a contingency is likely to occur.—Reuter.

Banks In France to Stop Exchange Operations

Paris, Jan. 14.

The Bank of France to-day asked all banks to suspend exchange operations temporarily. The Bourse opened this morning, as usual.—Reuter.

London Market Nervous

London, Jan. 14.

The French Government's fall resulted in an atmosphere of suppressed excitement at the opening of the London foreign exchange market this morning.

After uncertainty, banks and brokers dealt in francs, opening at 154.00 to the £ (as against 153.00 overnight) but later went to 150.25 on short covering induced by fears of restrictions being put on foreign exchange dealings.

With Paris not dealing in foreign exchange, the demand for francs is concentrated on London, hence the brisk rally though the market is very nervous, as reflected in continued offerings of forward francs at discounts. The prevailing discounts are Frs. 5.5 for one month and Frs. 8 for three months.—Reuter.

Active Support Of New Peiping Regime Foreseen

No Repudiation of Central Government by Japan

NO STATEMENT YET

Future Policies Forecast by Tokyo Paper

Tokyo, Jan. 9.

Mr. Tatsuo Kawai, formerly Japanese Consul-General in Shanghai and at present Director of the Information and Intelligence section of the Foreign Office, who has just left Shanghai, is reported to have conferred there with the Japanese Ambassador and the local Japanese army and navy authorities, and to have gathered data and opinions on what the Japanese Government's policy should be concerning the recognition of the numerous new regimes which are being set up in China under Japanese auspices.

In this connection the "Miyako Shimbun" forecasts that Japan's policies will develop along the following lines:

1.—No formal repudiation of the Chiang Kai-shek regime will be proclaimed diplomatically, but substantial steps to that end will be taken, such as withdrawal of the Japanese Embassy from Nanking and inauguration of active support of a new regime which will be founded to succeed the old.

Hitherto the Japanese Foreign Office has taken no special measures in regard to "the relegation of the Chiang Kai-shek regime to the status of a local government" but the development of the new provisional rule in North China, similar movements in Kiangsu and other similar activities in China are considered to necessitate appropriate steps on the part of the Japanese diplomatic service in order to "greet the dawn of a new Asia."

Many Envoys

2—Under the control of the Japanese army, new political regimes are springing up "like mushrooms" over North and Central China, it is pointed out, and Japan finds it impossible to work in China without contact with them. The Foreign Office will station diplomats of ministerial rank in Peiping, Tientsin, Tsinan, Shanghai, Nanking and other important cities. These diplomats will undertake exchange of information, anti-Communist arrangements and negotiations in general with the new regimes.

3.—As the Japanese military authorities frequently have stated, Japan intends scrupulously to respect the rights and interests of foreign Powers, and in the post-war management of Central and South China formal statements will be forthcoming assuring this, it is declared.

As negotiations in this connection with Britain, the United States, Germany, France, the Soviet Union and Italy would be conducted mostly in Shanghai or Nanking, it is held that the diplomatic staff in China must be strengthened, particularly at Shanghai.

Collective Guarantee

4.—The Manchurian Incident, the Italo-Abyssinian War and the "China Incident," have made the League of Nations Covenant, the European collective peace guarantee system, a dead letter, it is declared. A new collective guarantee is about to be born of the Berlin-Tokyo-Rome axis in the Far East. The Japanese Foreign Office will make overtures to Britain and the United States for the creation of a new collective peace guarantee system in East Asia, it is said, if these two Powers come to "appreciate properly the new situation in the Orient." Meanwhile overtures will be made to Siam, India and other Oriental countries.

5.—With the practical collapse of the League of Nations, the old peace treaties connected with it and the Nine-Power pact also have become a dead letter, consequently it is held most important to revise them or abrogate them entirely. At the outset, the Japanese Foreign Office intends to abrogate the Nine-Power pact, preparatory to the negotiation of the new collective peace guarantee treaty.

6.—Japan is faced with the necessity of resuscitating the credit system in China, "which crashed with the National Government," in order to stabilize living conditions in China. This is necessary in order to attract investments in economic undertakings in the new China.—Reuter.

On January 22

Tokyo, Jan. 14.

An outline of Japan's fundamental policy towards China, as decided by the momentous Imperial Conference on January 11, will be revealed in some form or other when the Diet reassembles on January 22, according to the "Chugai Shogyo," leading commercial daily, to-day.

What Japan wants from China, the newspaper says, is co-operation and nothing more. Therefore "we do not believe that Japan's terms will be so rigorous as to ruin China."

In order to attain her object—the establishment of lasting peace in the Far East through co-operation between the two countries—Japan, declares the "Chugai Shogyo," will possibly demand a guarantee against a recurrence of the "present unfortunate incident."—Reuter.

Formal Announcement

Tokyo, Jan. 14.

Formal announcement of the important decisions reached at the Imperial Conference on January 11 to decide Japan's policies in the China incident was expected tonight to be made "at any time."

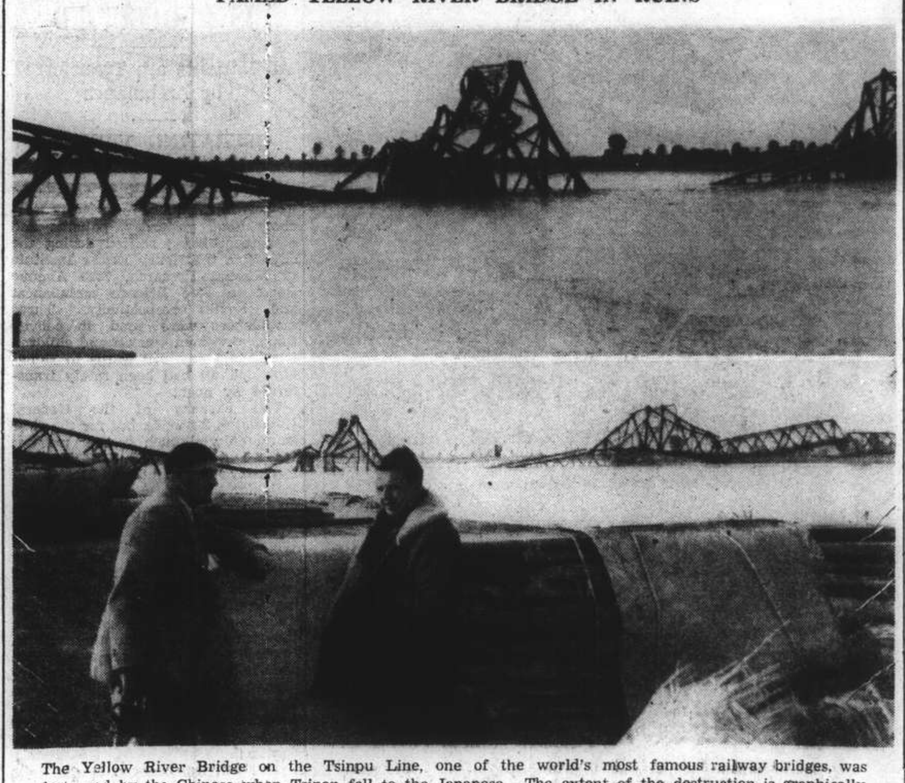
There was no definite indication as to whether it might be released within a few hours or sometime to-morrow.—Domei.

MR. MASAYUKI TANI IN PEIPING

Peiping, Jan. 13.

Mr. Masayuki Tani, former Japanese Minister to Austria, who is considered to be the possible High Commissioner to the Peiping Government if Japan's recognition of the Chiang Kai-shek Government is withdrawn, arrived here this evening.—Reuter.

FAMED YELLOW RIVER BRIDGE IN RUINS



The Yellow River Bridge on the Tsinpu Line, one of the world's most famous railway bridges, was destroyed by the Chinese when Tsinan fell to the Japanese. The extent of the destruction is graphically shown in the pictures above. In the lower photo, foreign war correspondents are shown on a visit to view the damage.

JAPANESE DIET TO BE ASKED FOR STILL MORE FUNDS

Whole Foreign Trade System to Be Regimented to Cover Enormous Munition Imports

Tokyo, Jan. 14.

NEW appropriations for Japan's military operations in China, regarded as certain to have much more effect on national finances than the 1938-39 budget proper of Y.2,867,796,000 (£170,000,000), will be presented to the Diet early in February. Tax increases in consequence are thought inevitable. Since the hostilities in China started last July, Japan has appropriated approximately Y.2,500,000,000 (£147,000,000) for military operations. This amount will be exhausted by the end of the current financial year on March 31, the "Yomiuri" says.

The new appropriations are apparently to cover the whole of the military and naval operations for the coming financial year and they will be based on expectation of warfare over a long period. Though no prediction has been made of their probable total, it is forecasted, they are likely to run into "billions of yen."

To meet these appropriations, the Japanese Finance Ministry is said to be counting largely on public bond issues, "but in order to rectify the lopsided prosperity of munitions industrialists and equalize the distribution of profits, a certain amount of increased taxation will be carried out." The Finance Ministry will therefore first study war-time profits, commodity prices and possible effects of more taxation on the livelihood of the people.

Reaction on Import Trade

With the expansion of her heavy expenditure on the hostilities in China, Japan's imports in 1938 will show a further increase, while her exports will remain on the same level as in 1937. Such is the view of Japanese experts concerning Japan's foreign trade this year.

Imports of raw cotton, wool, woodpulp, synthetic dyestuffs, lumber, and crude rubber, which constitute the bulk of Japan's imports other than the goods related to the munitions industry, are subject to official restriction by regulations promulgated last year.

Imports of raw cotton will be so restricted as to curb the consumption of cotton for the manufacture of home-consumption goods by 25 per cent. (The authorities estimate that the raw cotton imported into Japan has been used for the manufacture of export goods up to 60 per cent. and the remaining 40 per cent. for the manufacture of home-consumption goods.)

The Japanese Government estimates that 150,000 to 200,000 bales of wool have been used for the manufacture of export goods and some 650,000 bales for home-consumption goods by 40 per cent., or 260,000 bales.

Rationing of Imports

As for lumber, pulp, rubber, etc., their import will be curbed by juridical import association which will ration such imports among manufacturers. Considerable restricting of such imports is expected.

Under this system, merchants and industrialists of medium and minor scale will suffer severely in proportion to the success of the import restrictions, which tend to help the big industrialists to monopolize supplies of raw materials.

Even though the purchase of peace industry materials be successfully curtailed, it does not necessarily mean a reduction of Japan's total imports. If the increase in the import of munitions and other materials required for the expansion of Japan's productive power outdistances the decrease in the import of peace industry materials, Japan's total imports this year will increase inevitably.

Huge Munition Imports

Judging from the progress of the Government's scheme for the expansion of production since 1937, and the outlook concerning the digestion of the "China Emergency" bond-issues, totalling Y.2,500,000,000, the import of munitions materials in the first half of this year will probably prove larger than that during the corresponding period of 1937. If "the China Emergency" is protracted and expenditures increased, these imports will rise proportionately.

If, on the other hand, Japan's exports of cotton-goods, woollen-tissues, rayon tissues and other goods do not show any remarkable gain, Japan will be obliged to restrict further the import of raw cotton, wool, pulp, lumber and other goods in proportion to the increase in her munitions imports.

As a rise in Japan's total imports thus seems only a matter of course, strenuous efforts will be necessary to promote exports. It is feared, however, despite the export encouragement plans now conceived by the Japanese government, that exports this year may not increase much over last year.

Foreign "Retaliation"

This arises in the possibility that Japan's import restrictions will not only entail a rise in internal production costs, but will also provoke retaliatory acts on the part of other countries.

Some interests fear the possible loss of Japan's so-called new markets because some 300 kinds of articles, whose import has been prohibited, are mostly the products of these "new markets." Nonetheless, most of the articles involved in Japan's barter trade agreements with other countries have been carefully excluded from the list of import bans. Japan, moreover, will use special discretion as regards imports in exchange for which she may increase her exports.—Reuter.

JAPAN'S FOUR-YEAR PLAN NEARLY READY

Tokyo, Jan. 14.

Officials of the National Planning Board to-day submitted to the Cabinet the momentous Four-Year Programme of Replenishment of National Resources. The Cabinet is expected to approve it by the end of next week.—Domei.

JAPANESE RETURN TO TSINGTAO

Conditions in the Shantung Port Nearly Normal

Tsingtao, Jan. 14.

With conditions in Tsingtao gradually returning to normal, former Japanese residents of the port are flocking back here by the hundreds daily.

The majority of the 17,000 Japanese who evacuated Tsingtao in September are expected to be back here before February 15.

A large batch returned to-day and were greeted, among others, by the only Japanese who remained in the city during the last four months, namely, Mrs. F. A. Flossel, wife of a German cafe proprietor.

In order to avoid trouble, however, Mrs. Flossel, formerly Miss Ine Okubo, never stepped out of her home while the Chinese were in control, although her daughter, Kate, attended school daily at the Holy Ghost Convent.

Mr. M. Tsuruno, manager of the Dairen Kisen Kaisha, was to-day appointed Acting Harbour Master.

The German steamer Trave, which was the only neutral merchantman here throughout the stirring events of the past few weeks, sailed from Tsingtao yesterday.—Reuter.

JAPAN CUTS DOWN COTTON IMPORTS

U.S. Trade Commissioner Informs Washington

Washington, Jan. 13.

The Japanese Ministry of Commerce has taken drastic steps to curtail the consumption of raw cotton in Japan, it was reported to-day by the American Commercial Attache in Tokyo.

Effective on February 1, all cotton yarn used in the manufacture of goods for domestic consumption must be mixed with 30 per cent. staple fibre, a synthetic material.—United Press.

Labour-Business to Aid White House Efforts

New York, Jan. 14.

Prominent labour and business leaders will visit President Roosevelt to-day to discuss the present economic situation, says the Washington correspondent of the "New York Times." The conferees will include Mr. John L. Lewis, Mr. Owen Young, and Mr. Thomas Lamont. Business leaders are said to have conferred at length in the past few days so that they may act in co-operation.

Topics to be discussed with the President, the "New York Times" says, will be tax revision, housing, utilities, and monetary and gold policies. The common aim of all groups is to aid the Administration in its efforts to attain a $90,000,000,000 national income.—Reuter.

Old Christian Beliefs Upset By New Findings

Anglican Church Commission Challenges Traditions

AUTHORITY OF HOLY WRIT DENIED INFALLIBILITY

London, Jan. 14.

The report of the commission appointed by the Archbishops of Canterbury and York in 1922 to consider the Christian doctrine with a view to demonstrating the extent of agreement within the Anglican Church and investigating how far differences can be removed or diminished has now been published.

The report challenges traditional beliefs at several points.

It rejects the infallibility of the Bible, saying that its authority must not prejudge investigation in any field.

It regards the historical evidence for the virgin birth as inconclusive, and declares that literalistic belief in the physical resurrection of the dead must be rejected.

On the other hand, the report declares that the resurrection of Christ was an event as real and concrete as the Crucifixion.

The commission are divided as to whether miracles occur, but are agreed that God can work miracles if he pleases.

No objection to the theory of evolution can be drawn from the creation narratives in Genesis, the report goes on.

"Educated Christians," it says, agree that these are of mythological origin and that their value for us is symbolic rather than historical."—Reuter.

BRITISH COLONIAL APPOINTMENTS

Sir Mark Aitchison Made Tanganyika Governor

London, Jan. 13.

The King has approved the appointment of Sir Mark Aitchison, the young Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Barbados, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Tanganyika Territory, in succession to Sir Harold MacMichael, whose appointment as High Commissioner and Commander-in-Chief for Palestine and High Commissioner for Transjordan recently received His Majesty's approval.

His Majesty has also approved the appointment of Mr. Eubule John Waddington, Colonial Secretary of British Guiana to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Barbados.

The King has approved the appointment of Mr. George William Rendel, a counsellor in the Foreign Office, to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Sofia.—Wireless through Reuter.

MME. CHIANG KAI-SHEK TO RETURN TO HANKOW

Hongkong, Jan. 14.

Madame Chiang Kai-shek will return to Hankow on January 17 definitely, it was learned to-day. The Generalissimo's wife denied that her visit to Hongkong had any political significance but was solely to visit her two sisters and brother.—United Press.

U.S. Big Navy Plans to Pass Treaty Limits

Revision of Vinson-Trammell Act Recommended

SAFEGUARDS OF RIGHTS IN EAST WANTED

Washington, Jan. 13.

President Roosevelt has been advised by Admiral W. D. Leahy, Chief of Naval Operations, to recommend to Congress the revision of the Vinson-Trammel Act to permit that naval construction go beyond treaty limits, it was learned here to-day.

Admiral Leahy to-day conferred with Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, and several experts on Oriental affairs while Mr. Charles Edison, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, lunched with the President and discussed naval needs.

Both Mr. Edison and Admiral Leahy indicated the need for construction of additional warships and other auxiliary ships.

The recommendations of both Admiral Leahy and Mr. Edison are in line with the President's own position. He has asked for a strong navy in order to maintain peace. It was not learned, however, whether Mr. Roosevelt would approve of Admiral Leahy's suggestion for the revision of the Vinson-Trammel Act.

Safeguarding Rights in East

Admiral Leahy indicated to the President that the first necessity in strengthening American defences was the revision of the Vinson-Trammell Act and authority for additional naval construction. He recommended leaving the details and types of the new warships to be decided later.

Mr. Hull meanwhile was understood to have advised the construction of two new battleships in addition to the two now under construction and the two provided for in the 1939 budget estimates. He was represented as believing that the construction of new warships would be the most effective method of impressing Japan with the fact that the United States is determined to maintain her rights and interests in the Orient even if she is forced to fight for them.

Anti-Aircraft Strength

In addition to the huge warplane construction plans also under consideration, the Army and Navy both have advocated the construction of additional anti-aircraft guns for both services, it also was learned to-day.

Mr. Edison reported to Mr. Hull his approval of an enlarged naval construction programme as America's answer to worldwide armament and incidents involving America in the Far East.

He also submitted a report of an investigation regarding steel prices offered the Government by private corporations. The report indicated that private companies were selling the Government steel for warship construction at reasonable prices, despite instances of identical bidding. Mr. Edison reported the Government was actually paying less for steel than some private buyers.—United Press.

YUGOSLAV PREMIER VISITS GERMANY

Polish Statesman Sounds Berlin Regarding Geneva

Berlin, Jan. 14.

The Yugoslavian Premier, M. Milan Stoyadinovitch, who recently visited Rome, is arriving here to-day for conversations with German leaders.

The Polish Foreign Minister, Col. Joseph Beck, is in Berlin attempting to find out the attitude of Germany towards the League of Nations.

Polish circles here explain that as important questions are to be discussed at Geneva, and as Germany and Italy are not represented there, it is advisable that Col. Beck should obtain supplementary information from Germany. Col. Beck is leaving to-night for Geneva.

M. Stoyadinovitch's recent visit to Rome is said to have strengthened the ties between Italy and Yugoslavia.—Reuter.

CHINESE BONDS UP AGAIN IN LONDON

Comment by "The Times" Restores Confidence

London, Jan. 13.

Following yesterday's relapse, Chinese bonds to-day recovered slightly in fairly active dealings.

The comment in "The Times" on the subject is mainly responsible for the better feeling. Nervousness will undoubtedly persist, however, until and unless the Chinese Government unequivocally express its determination to make up any balances required for the full debt service.—Reuter.

Dr. Kung's Assurance Hailed

London, Jan. 14.

The statement by Dr. H. H. Kung Chinese Premier and Minister of Finance, that "China has lived up, and intends to live up, to her obligations by fully and promptly meeting the service of her external and internal obligations," further encouraged the Chinese bond market to-day. Rises of four and five points were recorded.

In commenting on Dr. Kung's statement, the "Daily Mail" says that bondholders will at least recognize the existence of a will to pay, which unfortunately has not been conspicuous in some recent announcements by other countries.—Reuter.

AMOY BANK OF FORMOSA BELIEVED SEIZED

Tokyo, Jan. 14.

The Chinese military authorities at Amoy have occupied the branch offices of the Bank of Formosa, according to a Japanese report received here to-day. The same report alleges that Formosan residents at Amoy are being oppressed by the Chinese authorities, and that two Formosans—the secretary and a member of the executive of the Formosan Association—were recently executed by a firing squad.—Reuter.

S.M.P. FOREIGN INSPECTOR HIT BY GANGSTERS

Det. Sub-Insp. J. McPhee Fighting for Life

SIX BULLET WOUNDS

48 Comrades Volunteer for Blood Transfusion

Forty-eight comrades responded to the call for a blood-transfusion last night when Det. Sub-Insp. J. McPhee was shot six times by Chinese bandits while leading a party of S. M. Police up a narrow flight of stairs in a raid yesterday afternoon at 4.45 p.m. in Kiaochow Road near Robison Road. The raid was carried out to arrest men suspected of possessing arms.

Five shots struck Inspector McPhee in the legs and one, striking his neck, went up against the jaw bone and out through the side of his head. He was taken immediately to the Country Hospital and, although he lost a large amount of blood, it was reported late last night that his condition was "fair." The wounds are thought to be not fatal.

Two others were injured in the protracted gun battle between the bandits and the police. One Chinese detective was shot in the foot and one Chinese woman received a bullet wound.

It was at a cocktail party given to Supt. J. Sinclair, who is retiring, last night at the Police Club in Foochow Road, that a call was made for volunteers to act as donors in the blood-transfusion suddenly thought necessary. About 200 guests were present, including many members of the Force. There was no hesitation as 48 men stepped forward. The volunteer selected to act as donor, if necessary, was Sgt. Snuggs.

Photo by courtesy of Dr. N. Eskelund.

Det. Sub-Insp. J. McPhee

The Raid

The raid yesterday afternoon was conducted from the Louza Police Station. Chief Det. Insp. Sharman was in charge of the party, which included Det. Sub.-Inspr. McPhee, Sub.-Insp. R. Black, Sgt. D. M. McClennan, Sgt. W. A. Nicoll, and twenty Chinese members of the Force.

Leaving the station at 4.30 p.m., the party arrived at the scene at about 4.45 p.m. and men were placed at various positions around the house. On the ground floor it was a tailor shop while the upper floors seemed to be filled with refugees. Insp. McPhee was in the lead as the party entered the house and was the first to start up the narrow flight of stairs only wide enough for one man at a time. He was met by a hail of bullets from two Chinese men firing from the top of the stairs, and fell. Members of the party picked him up and carried him to a police car which rushed him to the Country Hospital.

Through the Roof

The house was thoroughly surrounded and entrance eventually gained through the roof into the attic. The bandits, the police believe, must have escaped earlier over the roof. All that was found was a mauser pistol and a cigarette-tin bomb. A number of suspects were arrested and taken to the Louza Station for questioning.

Shortly before midnight, a "North-China Daily News" representative at the Country Hospital, was told by Dr. E. G. Gauntlett that while Insp. McPhee was in a serious condition, he was at that time "resting easily" and hope was held out that he might recover. No transfusions or emergency operations had yet been made at that time. The patient had been conscious intermittently since his arrival at the hospital.

December Wounding

It will be recalled that Mr. McPhee was wounded on December 3, during the Japanese "Victory March" through the Settlement, when a bomb was thrown at the corner of Nanking Road and Kwangse Road. He has had a brilliant career as a detective and has had remarkable number of narrow escapes. Many important crime cases have been solved largely through his efforts. He took part in the case where a Japanese Bluejacket, A. Taminato, was murdered on Haining Road in 1936.

The Reserve Unit was sent to the Pootoo Road district after the shooting affray in which McPhee was wounded. Pootoo Road details, under Inspector F. E. Dudley, were also called in.

JAPANESE CLAIM TSINING CHURCH SHELLED

Tsinan, Jan. 14.

A direct hit by a Chinese field-gun shell on the German church in Tsining on January 11 resulted in heavy damage to the building and death to four Chinese refugees within, according to a report received here to-day by the Japanese military authorities.

Early that morning, the message said, Japanese troops occupied the town's northwestern and south gates. The same afternoon, Chinese field artillery launched an intensive bombardment of the south gate, hitting the neighbouring church.—Domei.

CHINESE WORKERS ALLOWED NORTH OF CREEK

Japanese Issue Regulations for Employees of Foreign Concerns: Guarantees Wanted

DETAILED regulations, governing the removal of goods to the south side of Soochow Creek and the admission of Chinese workers to the area north of the Creek were issued yesterday by Lieut.-Commander Sashichiro Tadano, in charge of peace maintenance in the Hongkew district.

In view of the fact that the necessary preparations for the enforcement of the new regulations have not yet been completed by the Shanghai Municipal Police, their application to foreign-employed workers will be deferred until January 24.

Labour employed by Japanese concerns and individuals will be given the benefit of the new regulations immediately.

Detailed Regulations follow:

The removal of goods and personal effects belonging to foreigners is free in principle and does not require permits of the Japanese Consulate-General and of the Hongkew Branch of the Japanese Naval Landing Party.

The process of picking up escorts at the Garden Bridge, which has so far been enforced, will also be abolished. Foreigners who want to remove their goods or personal effects, are required, however, to present themselves at the competent S.M.C. Police Station, and show a document or documents which will prove that they are the legal owners and obtain a permit.

It must be noted, however, that the removal of goods from the wharves of China Merchants' Navigation Company and other places of military importance as well as from wharves or factories owned by Chinese is prohibited. Removal of war supplies is also prohibited.

The right is reserved for inspecting goods at all times within the areas north of the Soochow Creek, for the purpose of searching for war supplies.

Those who want to use Chinese coolies and trucks have to apply and obtain a permit as to the number thereof from the Hongkew Branch of the Japanese Naval Landing Party. The number of trucks and Chinese coolies may, as occasion calls, be restricted under the necessity of guard and traffic control.

Rules for Chinese

1.—A certificate for each Chinese servant or workman will be issued.

(a) Application procedure. Those Japanese and foreign shops or factories which want to employ Chinese clerks, workmen or coolies have to submit to the Police Department of Japanese Consulate General (in the case of Japanese shops or factories) and to the S.M.C. Hongkew Police station (in the case of foreign shops or factories) an application, in duplicate, describing the name, place of birth, age, calling and place of employment of each employee and also pledging themselves that they would be held responsible for the conduct of their Chinese employees.

After the identity of each Chinese employee having been confirmed, a certificate will be issued. Those who have obtained such certificate have to obtain permits for passage and residence from the Hongkew Branch of the Japanese Naval Landing Party.

(b) Procedure for the employ of Chinese house servants. The procedure is based on the rule as mentioned in (a).

Chinese Servants

(c) Procedure concerning those Chinese servants who reside in their employer's premises. Those employers who want to let their Chinese servant live in their shops or factories have to submit to the Hongkew Branch of the Japanese Naval Landing Party an application stating to the above effect and obtain a permit.

(e) Passage of workmen. The passage of Chinese workmen is allowed only for collective groups for the time being and the passage of an individual is not allowed.

Employers are requested to engage one responsible person who possesses a pass for each group, ranging from 20 to 30 workmen.

Special Exemptions

(f) Exception. All matters concerning Chinese employees of the Municipal Council, the Power Company, the Shanghai Waterworks, and other public utility companies will be dealt with as heretofore by the Hongkew Branch of the Japanese Naval Landing Party.

(g) Date of enforcement. These regulations will be enforced at once so long as Japanese employers are concerned, but in the case of foreign employers, they will be put in force as from January 24, as preparations on the part of the S.M. Police are not complete.

However, matters concerning Chinese house servants employed by foreigners will be dealt with as heretofore by the competent S.M.C. Police Station.

Temporary Passage

2. Permits for the passage of temporary collective groups of Chinese workmen.

(a) Application procedure. Those persons who want to employ Chinese workmen during the period pending the issuance of certificate as stipulated in item 1, have to submit an application to the Hongkew Branch of the Japanese Naval Landing Party for a permit for the passage of temporary collective groups of their Chinese employees. Such an application, made out in duplicate, must clearly mention the number of workmen, the destination of each group and the names of the employer and the person responsible for the group, and also give a pledge that employers will be held responsible for the conducts of their Chinese employees.

The application under this category does not require the photographs of employees and may omit their names.

(b) Permits for Chinese resident employees. In case the whole group or part of Chinese employees are to be resident at their employers' property, mention to that effect has to be made in the application. Resident employees are not allowed to go out individually.

(c) Term of validity. Since the permit for the passage of temporarily organized collective groups of Chinese workmen is a provisional expedient available pending the completion of preparations in the S.M. Police, it is advisable for the employers to obtain in advance certificates from the Municipal Council, if they want to continue the services of their Chinese employees after the expiration of the permit's term of validity.

(d) Date of enforcement. The permits under this category will be enforced at once.

Coolie Passage

3. Permits for the temporary passage of Chinese coolies.

(a) Application procedure. Those who want temporarily to employ a few on scores of Chinese coolies for one day or a few days have to submit to the Hongkew Branch of the Japanese Naval Landing Party an application made out in duplicate, describing the number of employees, destination, term of employment, the names of employers and responsible persons and the objects of employing these coolies, and also give a pledge that they will be held responsible for the conduct of their employees. This application does not require names and photographs of employees.

Chinese Families

4. Handling of families of resident Chinese workmen.

As regards the handling of families of resident Chinese workmen, a procedure the same as the one concerning the issuance of certificates as mentioned in the item 1, Employers are to be held responsible for the conducts of families of their employees. No certificate will be issued to members of such families less than 15 years of age, but names and number of these youths have to be mentioned in the certificates. Independent passage of the families will not be permitted for the time being.

5. Hours for the passage through the Settlement and the Garden Bridge. Hours for the passage to be allowed in conformity with the above three kinds of certificates and the permits for passage are from 7 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. for the time being.

ALLEGED ATTEMPT AT EXTORTION

Young Student Detained by Police

The Settlement Police are investigating an alleged attempt to extort money ranging from $20,000 to $30,000 from twelve big Chinese firms by an 18-year old student named Wong Tse-yun.

Brought before the First Special District Court yesterday, Wong was charged with having represented himself as the chief of the police bureau of the "Great Way City Government" at Pootung, demanding $20,000 donation from the manager of the Wing An Dong medicine store for the relief of refugees.

According to Mr. Paul Y. Ru, Assistant Municipal Advocate, who prosecuted, the suspect wrote his first letter to the store on December 28, saying that he had been authorized by the Japanese authorities to collect donations. Failing to receive any reply, he was alleged to have written two additional letters, threatening action by the Japanese should the manager still ignore his demands. He told the manager that the Japanese would charge him with having instigated the throwing of hand-grenades at the Japanese.

Further letters were said to have been sent to the manager, who was asked to mail chegues, drawn on any local bank to Box 3461 of the "Sin Wan Pao."

Acting on the Police advice, the manager sent a cheque for $5,000 drawn on the National State Bank of China to the box. As the suspect proceeded to the newspaper office, he was arrested by two detectives who had been posted there.

Similar threatening letters were said to have been sent by the suspect to the following firms: the Wing On Co., The Sun Co, Sincere Co., Sun Sun Co., the Sin Hwa Bank, Bank of China, Commercial Press, Silver Taxi Co., Ford Taxi Co., Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Co. and the Lau Vung Hsiang silver store.

RECRUITING PLANS COMPLETED

Army Control Headquarters for Various Provinces

In order to standardize and facilitate the work of recruiting and replenishment of forces in various provinces, the Military Affairs Commission has drawn up plans for the establishment of army control headquarters in Honan, Anhwei, Kiangsi, Fukien, Kwangtung, Hunan, Hupeh, Szechuen and Shensi before the end of this month. Similar organs are expected to be set up in Kiangsu, Chekiang, Shantung, Kansu and Kweichow.

According to the plans, chairmen of the various provincial governments will be appointed concurrently directors of these headquarters, which will have recruiting and training departments and a general affairs section.

Military transport headquarters and people's military training commissions already in existence in different provinces will be incorporated in the new headquarters, while Divisional control headquarters will be turned into subordinate organs.

RUSSIAN CHARGED WITH BURGLARY

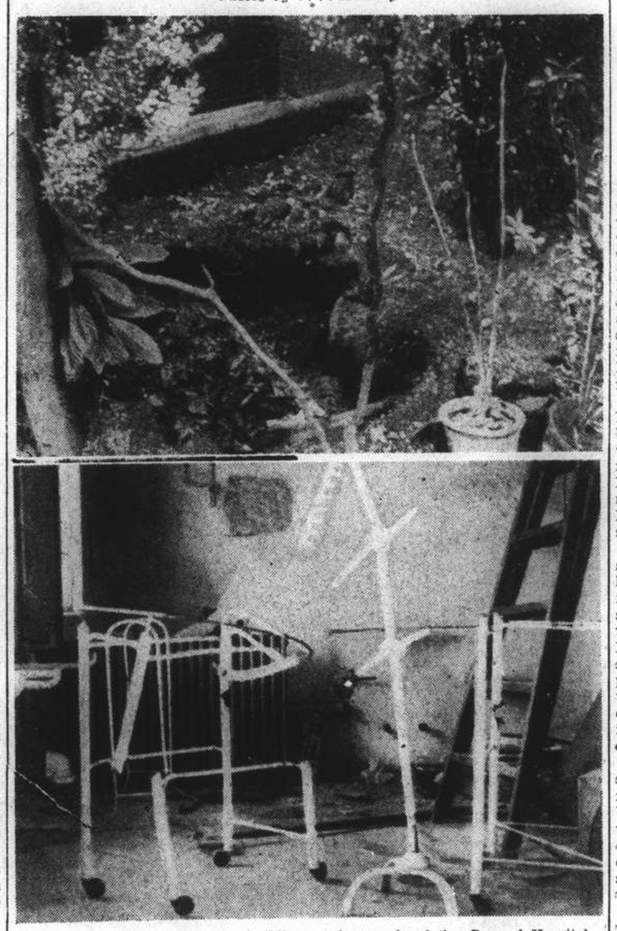
Arkady Houdiakoff, aged 25, was remanded to next week for judgment by the First Special District Court, on a charge of burglary.

According to Mr. Y. D. Wong, Assistant Municipal Advocate, the suspect had entered the room of Mr. R. W. Roche of the Standard-Vacuum Oil Co., at 260 Yu Yuen Road, on the night of January 8, stealing $100 in Chinese currency and Yen 100.

Detective Sub-Inspr. Goloobkoff, with the assistance of the French Police, arrested the suspect in Route Vallon. On his person were found $20.

GENERAL HOSPITAL PREMISES REOCCUPIED

Photos by V. F. Meisling



Somewhat battle-scarred, the buildings and grounds of the General Hospital in North Soochow Road were re-opened to patients and staff yesterday when the transfer from Avenue Road was made by ambulance and lorry. The top view shows one of the shell-holes in the lawn, just inside the garden wall. Below, the main operating theatre showing shell damage which is now being repaired.

CONCERT IN AID OF WOUNDED SAILORS

Proceeds to Go to Victims of Ladybird Shelling

A concert is being arranged by "Ma" Jackson, proprietress of a cafe in Bubbling Well Road, for the benefit of the British sailors who were injured in the shelling of H.M.S. Ladybird at Wuhu, and of the widow of Sick Berth Attendant T. N. Lonergan, who was killed during the shelling. "Ma" Jackson is well known to all British sailors who visit Shanghai, as she caters especially for them. At present, "Ma" Jackson is uncertain where to hold the concert, but it is hoped that some public hall may be made available. All proceeds, after a reasonable deduction for expenses, will be handed over to the commander of the Ladybird, Lieutenant-Commander P. S. Barlow, who will see to their distribution.

JAPANESE ARMOUR FOR DUCE AND FUEHRER

Tokyo, Jan. 14.

Two ancient swords and two suits of armour have been purchased by the Young Men's Association for presentation to the Reichsfuehrer, Herr Adolf Hitler, and the Italian Premier, Sig. Benito Mussolini. The organization, which has 100,000 members, will send special envoys to Berlin and Rome to present the gifts.—Domei.

GEN. HAN FU-CHU'S ARREST

Confirmation Received by Vernacular Press

Press reports received from Hankow yesterday persisted that General Han Fu-chu, Chairman of the Shantung Provincial Government, is awaiting trial before a military court in Hankow for his alleged failure to resist the Japanese advance.

The evening edition of the "Sin Wan Pao" reported the confirmation by the Chinese authorities of the arrest of the Shantung warlord, who is commander of the Third Route Army. The latter was escorted to Hankow on that day.

General Li Tsung-jen, who is in command of Chinese forces on the Tsinpu front, acted on instructions from Hankow in placing General Han under arrest at Hsuchow several days ago and sending him to Hankow.

General Sun Tung-shuan, senior divisional commander under the Shantung Chairman, who was reported to have strongly advocated resistance against the Japanese, has been ordered to take over General Han's duties as commander of the Third Route Army.

For sometime, General Han was said to be flirting with both the Japanese and Central Government authorities, but with the arrival of some 30,000 Government troops, he issued a manifesto, declaring his adherence to the policy of the Central Government.

GENERAL HOSPITAL IS REOCCUPIED

All Patients are Transferred by Ambulance

OPERATING THEATRE BEING REPAIRED

The General Hospital reoccupied its permanent quarters in North Soochow Road yesterday, patients and equipment being shifted during the day from the Henry Lester Institute of Medical Research, 1320 Avenue Road, in Fire Brigade ambulances and lorries respectively. Three ambulances were used to convey some thirty men, women and children from the temporary wards to Hongkew and all had been safely transferred by noon.

The capacity of the General Hospital is 220 beds, but for the time being only a much smaller number will be available. Dr. G. Chambers, medical superintendent, Mr. J. E. Melchior, treasurer, and the large nursing staff composed of Franciscan Missionaries of Mary are now all installed in the hospital.

Generally speaking, the building suffered but little during the recent hostilities. The damage to the operating theatre which was struck by a shell has been partly repaired. In the garden, just inside the wall in North Soochow Road, are two sizable shell-holes, the missiles having apparently come over the building from the northwest in the course of Chinese shelling. One projectile exploded in the "boys' " quarters, which were damaged.

The heat has been on in the large structure for a week in preparation for the return of patients and staff. Yesterday morning already smoke was pouring from the kitchen chimney. From a tree near the main entrance a bird-cage (with bird) was suspended, lending a Chinese touch to the return.

The home-coming ended an exile which began on August 16, last year, when the hostilities had just started. At that time the hospital removed to the new Chase Bank Building in Nanking Road. It was later transferred to the Henry Lester Institute.

WEDDING

Palamountain-Talbot

A very pretty wedding took place yesterday afternoon, the civil service at H.M. Consulate-General, before Mr. A. G. N. Ogden, and the religious ceremony at the Church of St. Pierre, Avenue Dubail, when Miss Margaret Cecilia Talbot, youngest daughter of the late Mr. William E. Talbot, of Birmingham, England, and Mrs. Talbot, became the wife of Mr. Alan Palamountain, son of Mr. J. R. Palamountain, of Launceston, Tasmania, Australia. Farther Jacquinot de Besange performed the religious ceremony.

The bride, who was given away by Mr. J. M. Galbraith, of Sydney, Australia, looked particularly charming in her modish gown of white ciré satin, which was made with the bodice in pleats which were caught at the neckline with a high collar. The gown showed the high waist line and the skirt rippled out into a train. The long sleeves flared out at the shoulder but clasped the wrists tightly. The wedding veil of exquisite embroidered Swiss lace was held in place by a crown of orange blossoms and the bride carried a shower bouquet of white carnations.

Mr. Paul Palamountain performed the duties of best man for his brother. Mr. Alan Palamountain is very well known in Shanghai and was for many years in newspaper work here until becoming Racing Manager of the Canidrome.

Following the ceremony many friends of the newly-married couple attended the reception which was held at the bridegroom's home, 525 Route Tenant de La Tour.

REPORT OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

Subscriptions Down on Account of War

The annual report of the Public Library states that at the end of 1937 there were 114 Chinese and 444 foreign subscribers, a total of 558. The number of books issued during the year was 54,662, as follows:—Non-fiction 8,588; Fiction 45,121; Children's books 743; Chinese books 210. There was a decrease in circulation of foreign books by 8,784 volumes as compared with 1936 due to the local hostilities when, during the first month (August—September), the Library was closed; and also on account of the temporary evacuation of women to Hongkong and Manila. During the year 46,145 persons made use of the Reading Rooms.

Purchases.—The appropriation for the year was $4,000; 966 volumes were purchased, 153 of which were non-fiction; 282 fiction; 30 children's books and 501 Chinese books.

Binding.—546 volumes were rebound during the year.

Periodicals and Newspapers.—The following periodicals were added to the 1936 list:— The "Sphere," "Pearson's," "London Opinion," "John of London," "Esquire" and "Life."

The "Studio," "English Review," "Nature," "Judge," "Literary Digest" and the "True Detective" were cancelled.

Reduced Subscription Rates for Students.—By request from the Shanghai University and St. John's University, which were transferred to the Settlement minus their libraries, on account of the hostilities, a reduction in the library subscription rates for students was approved by the Library Committee. The subscription was assessed of $4 per annum. In consequence the library has approximately 50 students among its subscribers.

GEN. TSAI TING-KAI IN CANTON

Recovers from Injuries: Car Accident in Nanking

The rumour that Gen. Tsai Ting-kai, former commander of the defunct Nineteenth Route Army, was wounded while directing operations on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway front, was denied in a Chinese message received from Hongkong yesterday.

Gen. Tsai, according to the message, received injuries in the knee in the vicinity of Sun Yat-sen Mausoleum in Nanking on November 18, when his motor car can off the road at a high speed.

Gen. Tsai, who had been staying in Nanking, had been asked by Gen. Chiang Kai-shek to inspect military works at the Purple Mountains that afternoon when the accident occurred.

Following the advance of Japanese troops towards Nanking. Gen. Tsai was conveyed from a Nanking hospital to Hongkong, where he recovered from his injuries recently.

Gen Tsai is reported to be in Canton, where he is expected to assist Gen. Yu Han-mou, the Kwangtung military commander, in the defence of the province.

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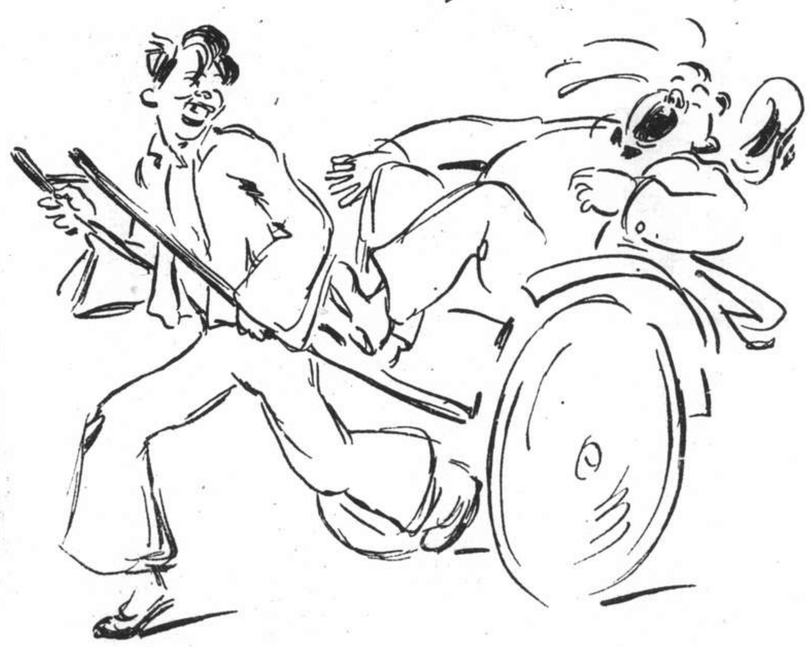

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FROM DAY TO DAY

MR. V. C. Olive, director of Messrs. Lacey and Cannan Ltd., left yesterday for Hankow via Hongkong.

MR. Roderick G. MacDonald has been elected to serve on the Executive and Finance Committee of the British Residents' Association.

MR. G. J. P. Carey of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., left for Hongkong yesterday by the ss. Conte Biancamano, on transfer.

MR. James J. McLachlan of the Texas Oil Co., Shanghai, has been transferred to Hongkong. He sailed on the ss. Conte Biancamano. Mrs. McLachlan follows next month.

MEMBERS of the British Women's Association are advised that owing to repairs the rooms will be closed to-day and Sunday, but will be open again on Monday as usual.

ALL is quiet in Ningpo, according to a recent arrival from the East Chekiang city. A passage has been maintained through the boom across the Yung River at Chinhai, and the port authorities there have continued to send small pilot ships to lead foreign merchantmen through the passage.

THE Silk Piece Goods Dealers' Guild in Shanghai has been busy pushing various activities for the common benefit of its members, says a report to the "Sin Wen Pao." One of its beneficial measures is the opening of an office to facilitate the passage of goods through the Customs.

THE Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission, General Chiang Kai-shek, has issued an order to the military and administrative officials in various provinces and cities, calling on them to put a strict ban on the organization of mobile units by unscrupulous elements harbouring ulterior motives, states a dispatch to the "Hwa Mei Pao."

Two traffic cases were heard in the U. S. Consular Court for China yesterday when Mr. B. W. Smith and Mr. C. J. Doughty were each fined U.S. $1 by Mr. N. E. Lurton. The former pleaded guilty to charges of having parked his car within 3 feet of Foochow Road corner and also during prohibited hours on December 23, while the latter was fined for having caused his car to wait during prohibited hours in Kiukiang Road and also for having parked his car with the right side of vehicle next to kerb.

THE "Shun Pao," one of the leading newspapers in Shanghai, which suspended publication on December 15, 1937, will resume publication in Hankow to-day, states a special report to the "Hwa Mei Pao." It is learnt that the journal, for whose reappearance all arrangements have now been completed, will be managed by Mr. Ma Ying-liang in his double capacity as editor and publisher. Since Mr. Ma has not yet arrived in Hankow, Mr. Ma Chun-chao will be the acting editor and publisher ad interim.

M. AUGE, French Consul, has been elected President of the French Ex-Servicemen's Association. On Thursday, members of the Association held a meeting at which a hearty welcome was extended to the new President. Among those present were M. Naggiar, French Ambassador, M. Marcel Baudez, French Consul-General, Captain Pavie, commander of the Primauget, Lieut.-Col. Perretier, Commander of the French garrison, M. Verdier, Secretary-General of the French Municipal Council, Commandant Fabre, of the French Police, and many others.

THE General Tax office for Kiangsu, Chekiang and Anhwei, which was established by interested parties following their recent assumption of control over the various local offices of the Revenue Administration of the Ministry of Finance, has issued a notice to Chinese and foreign industrial and business houses in Shanghai, states a report to the "Sin Wen Pao." The notice, according to the report, calls on these houses to pay their taxes at the new office, which it claims to have formally established as a result of the amalgamation of the former Shanghai office of the Revenue Administration, the Consolidated Tax Office for Kiangsu, Chekiang and Anhwei and the Stamp Duty and Cigarette and Wine Tax Bureau for Kiangsu.

SOVIET ENVOY OFF TO CHUNGKING

To Present Credentials to China's Chairman

Hankow, Jan. 14.

The new Soviet Ambassador to China, M. Luganets-Orelsky, will fly to Chungking to-morrow. He will present his credentials to Mr. Lin Sen, the Chairman of the National Government, on January 18 and return to Hankow the following day.

Dr. Wang Chung-hui, the Foreign Minister, will not accompany the Ambassador, but Dr. T. T. Li, Director of Publicity, and Mr. Tuan Mou-lan, the Secretary of the Foreign Office, will fly to Chungking with him.

Reports that the Chinese Ambassador to Germany, Dr. Chen Tien-fang, has been recalled, and that Dr. Wellington Koo, the Chinese Ambassador to France, will return to China for "an important post in the Chinese Government," are declared to be without foundation in official circles here.—Reuter.

STUDENTS PARDONED IN EGYPT

Ministerial Order in Honour of Royal Wedding

Cairo, Jan. 13.

In view of the wedding of King Farouk on Januray 20, a Ministerial order has been issued pardoning all students who were dismissed from the Unversity in connection with the recent disorders.

The ten men who were arrested on a charge of being implicated in the attempt on the life of Mustafa Si-Nahas Pasha, the Prime Minister, on November 28, were also released.

The 18-year-old Egyptian King will marry Cagnase, the 16-year-old daughter of Youssouf Bey, Judge of the Mixed Court of Appeals.—Reuter.

Corfu Expected To Arrive from Kobe To-morrow

Conte Biancamano and Andre Lebon Sail for Europe

GLENBEG LEAVING ON WEDNESDAY NEXT

Two large ocean liners sailed from port yesterday, taking with them a number of passengers, cargo and heavy mails for Europe. The first to leave was the Lloyd Triestino liner Conte Biancamano, which left the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co.'s Hongkew Wharf shortly before noon, bound for Italy via the usual ports. She was followed in the early afternoon by the Messageries Maritimes liner André Lebon, bound for Hongkong, Saigon, Singapore, Colombo, Djibouti, Port Said and Marseilles.

The local Office of the P. & O. S.N. Co. advised yesterday afternoon that the ss. Corfu had sailed from Kobe at 7 a.m. and was therefore expected to arrive alongside the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co.'s Pootung Wharf at about 1 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

The Corfu will be sailing for Marseilles, Gibraltar and London on Tuesday from the same wharf, passengers being taken down to the ship in tenders which will leave the Customs Jetty at 8.30 o'clock that morning. Heavy baggage will, as usual, be received into lighters which will be lying alongside the jetty between 2 and 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. On her way through to her terminal ports, the Corfu will be calling at Colombo, Bombay, Aden, Port Said and Malta.

Other Sailings

Two other ships are due to sail for Europe to-day. The Norddeutscher Lloyd steamer Trave will be leaving port for Marseilles, Oran, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Bremen, while the Hamburg-America Line ss. Hindenburg will sail for Antwerp, Rotterdam and Hamburg via the usual ports. The next Hamburg-America Line ship to come into port, incidentally, will be the Oliva, which passed Mauritius on December 30 and is due here on January 26.

Other Europe sailings in the very near future will include the Messageries Maritimes ss. Commandant Dorise, due to leave port to-morrow for Oran, Casablanca, Havre, Antwerp and Dunkirk via Port Said and Aden, and the Glen Line ss. Glenbeg, which, after a slight delay owing to port congestion at Dairen, is to sail on Wednesday next for Casablanca, London, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Antwerp, calling at Hongkong and the Straits en route.

Coastal Movements

To-day and to-morrow will be fairly heavy days as regards departures of China coast steamers. At 7 o'clock this morning, the I.-C. ss. Siangwo will sail from the Peking Road Jetty for Tungchow. At 9.30 a.m. the C.N. ss. Soochow, bound for Swatow, Hongkong and Canton, will leave the French Bund, while at noon the I.-C. ss. Taksang will be sailing from the Roosevelt Terminal for Tsingtao, Chefoo and Tientsin.

Five sailings are at present listed for to-morrow. At 7 a.m., the C.N. ss. Taiyuan will be leaving the French Bund for Amoy, Hongkong and Canton, to be followed an hour later by the same company's ss. Wuhu, bound for Tungchow. Two Indo-China steamers will be sailing from port at noon, the ss. Chaksang from Hunt's Wharf, for Swatow, Hongkong and Canton, and the ss. Leesang, from Swa-the Roosevelt Terminal, for Wenchow, Hongkong and Canton. A tender will leave the Peking Road jetty at noon for the Chaksang. Finally, at 1 p.m., the C.N. ss. Chekiang will be sailing from the French Bund for Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin.

The mv. Tjinegara is due to arrive in Shanghai from Java via Hongkong and Amoy to-morrow afternoon. She will sail from Holt's Wharf on Thursday, January 20, at 11 a.m. The passenger tender leaves the Customs Jetty at 9.30 a.m. The loading of cargo will take place next Wednesday only.

NETHERLANDS LOAN CONVERSION

Arrangements Concluded for New Issue

The Hague, Jan. 13.

The Netherlands Minister of Finance, Dr. P. J. Oud, has concluded arrangements for conversion of Fl. 1,700,000,000 of the Government 4 per cent. loan.

The new loan will mature in 38 years with the rate of interest at 3 per cent. for the first ten years and 3½ per cent. for the next 28 years.

The issue price is 99½ per cent. and the subscription list will close on January 27.—Reuter.

PLANE CONTINUES SEARCH FOR CLIPPER WRECK

Pago Pago, Jan. 14.

The plane from the U.S.S. Avocet to-day continued her daylight flights of the area in which the Samoan Clipper crashed three days ago, in the hope of finding further wreckage or of possibly recovering some of the bodies of the seven men who, it seems certain, died in the crash.—United Press.

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PARITY IN CONSULAR REPRESENTATION

London Rejects Principle of Russian Demand

London, Jan. 13.

In connection with the Russian Government's declaration of its intention to observe a principle of parity in consular representation, it was stated in official quarters in London to-day that, while the matter of the adjustment of consular representation of the two countries was the subject of friendly discussion between the two governments, the British Government does not consider the principle of parity appropriate to consular representation, as rigid insistence on parity would appear to cut right across the whole purpose of such representation.—Wireless through Reuter.

39 Consulates to Be Closed

Moscow, Jan. 14.

The closing of 39 foreign consulates in the Soviet Union has been demanded so far by the Soviet Government, it is revealed here in informed circles. The latest action has been to request Afghanistan to close her three Consulates in the Soviet Union so that she will be without Consular representation of any kind. The Foreign Commissariat has also closed ten of eleven Soviet Consulates in Iran and has asked that eight Iranian Consulates in the Soviet Union be liquidated.

The Turkish Government has been requested to close four of its five consulates and all Soviet consulates have been closed except one in Istanbul.

Latest reports say the Czechoslovakian Government has been approached to close its consulate in Kiev which was established only 1½ years ago.—Trans-Ocean.

EARL OF ATHLONE WILL VISIT SAUDI ARABIA

London, Jan. 13.

Princess Alice, Countess of Athlone, and Major-General, the Earl of Athlone, will leave on February 4 for Saudi Arabia. The visit, which is the result of a personal invitation conveyed by Amir Saud when he was in London as King Ibn Saud's representative at the Coronation, will be entirely private and unofficial.—Wireless through Reuter.

SUPT. J. SINCLAIR RETIRES

Popular Officer Completes Thirty Years in S.M.P.

IS HOST AT COCKTAILS IN POLICE CLUB

After thirty years in the Shanghai Municipal Police, Supt. J. Sinclair, one of the best-liked senior members of the Force, retires to-day.

"Jimmy" Sinclair, who hails from Auchtergaven, Perthshire, joined the S.M.P. on February 10, 1908, as a constable. His tact and ability gained for him speedy promotion through the various grades. He was made an Inspector on May 1, 1919, and Superintendent on March 1, 1928. He received the Police Long Service Medal in the latter year and a bar was added to it five years later.

Supt. Sinclair's varied service in the Force includes the tenure of Divisional Officer's posts in three of the four Divisions in the Settlement. He became Divisional Officer of "D" Division (the Eastern District) in 1929; the following year he was transferred to the Settlement Courts as Police Liaison Officer, a position which he held for two years. In 1932 he was posted to Police Headquarters. Subsequently he served as Divisional Officer of three Divisions: "A," "B" and "D." During the recent Shanghai hostilities he was at the helm in "D" Division, embracing the Wayside, Yulin Road and Yangtszepoo districts, and organized and supervised the Police sub-stations in that area while the fighting was at its height. These sub-stations functioned along the Whangpoo River during the temporary withdrawal from the regular Stations and Supt. Sinclair and his men were exposed to constant danger from both land and air while the protracted fighting was on.

Altogether Supt. Sinclair has received many commendations for outstanding work in the course of his long career.

Active Sportsman

Socially Supt. Sinclair has been active during the generation he has spent in Shanghai and he has been prominent also in the field of sport. Especially in former days did he distinguish himself at various games, including tennis, cricket, football, lawn bowls and billiards. Owing to exceptionally fine health he has missed only 38 days from illness during his thirty years in Shanghai.

Mr. Sinclair was host yesterday evening at a cocktail party given in the Police Club, Foochow Road, where he received a large number of members of the Force and their wives as well as many friends in civilian life. About 200 persons attended the function, including high-ranking members of the Police representing Headquarters and Divisions. Virtually all the grades of the Foreign Branch were represented.

STATE OF EMERGENCY IN PORTO RICO

San Juan, Jan. 13.

A state of emergency was declared by Sr. Rafael Menendez Ramos, the acting Governor here, to-day to prevent profiteering during the strike of longshoremen and ship workers which has been in progress for two weeks.—United Press.

MORGAN CASE IS ADJOURNED

Registrar on "Hardship" to the Accused

"You will remember the fact that we are not dealing with our own people, or with people who understand our methods of justice," commented Mr. C. H. Haines, Registrar, at the resumed hearing in H. M. Police Court yesterday of the case against Mr. "Jerry" Morgan, who is charged with attempting to receive stolen property, knowing it to be stolen. Mr. E. L. Hartopp is appearing for the Crown, on behalf of the Crown Advocate. The case was again adjourned on the application of Mr. Hartopp, who stated that there was some delay in procuring documents and witnesses from the Japanese, which compelled him to ask for a further remand.

Mr. Haines remarked that the Crown Advocate would no doubt appreciate the fact that it was not fair to the accused to keep the charge hanging over his head. Mr. Hartopp acknowledged that it was a hardship.

Accused in a statement to the Registrar asked for the case to be dismissed. "I am willing to go into the box and answer any questions Your Honour or the Crown Advocate may put to me," he stated.

Mr. Haines then pointed out that the accused would appreciate the fact that they were not dealing with their own people, or those who understood their methods of justice. Ordinarily, the request of the accused would be justified, but in this case the delay was not the fault of the Crown, but was due to the slow-moving methods of another nationality's police. In view of this fact, he did not think that it would be his duty to grant the request of the accused, as the case against him had not yet been heard.

The accused stated that the methods of the nation referred to were swift enough to start off with. Mr. Haines observed that the Crown had done all it could to procure the necessary documents. He ordered Mr. Hartopp to bring the documents before the court within three working days, and adjourned the case until 10 a.m. next Thursday.

B.B.C, BROADCAST HEARD IN YEMEN

London, Jan. 13.

The Colonial Secretary, Mr. William Ormsby-Gore, has received a copy of the telegram from the King of Yemen to the Governor of Aden, Lt.-Col. Sir Bernard Reilly, in which the King states that he heard the opening of the B.B.C. Arabic news service from London, including the message delivered by his son. The King conveys his thanks and pleasure and expresses his best wishes.—Wireless through Reuter.

SWISS INDUSTRIES FAIR 1938

Annual Exhibition at Basle

The Swiss Industries Fair at Basle will be held this year from March 26 to April 5.

The programme of this great annual spring show of Swiss manufacture and craftsmanship provides, besides numerous special fairs, for 21 industrial groups, which, systematically displayed in the fine Fair buildings, will offer a unique opportunity for business people to muster Swiss industrial production in all its more important and highly specialized branches. Buyers from foreign countries will be particularly interested in the Watch and Clock Fair, the biggest of its kind in the world, the textile groups with an extensive Fashion Saloon, no less than in the important electrical and machinery groups and the largely increased machine tool fair. Likewise a number of other groups offer specialities apt to attract the interest of foreign visitors.

The Swiss Industries Fair is a perfect illustration of the hard work and progress of the industries of Switzerland. Its importance has been increasing from year to year and with the steady economic recovery following, among other factors, the devaluation of the Swiss Franc in autumn 1936 it is expected that the large Fair halls at Basle will this year again see a record influx of foreign visitors.

Basle can easily be reached by train, motor car or aeroplane from any centre of the Continent. Greatly reduced railway fares will be issued to visitors to the Fair by 18 European States. The Swiss Consulate-General in Shanghai holds a limited number of identity cards entitling their holders to such reductions, which, on application, will be supplied free of charge to intending visitors.

EX-KAISER'S GRANDSON TO MARRY IN APRIL

The Hague, Jan. 13.

The wedding of Prince Louis Ferdinand of Prussia, second son of the former German Crown Prince, and the Grand Duchess Kyra of Russia, daughter of Grand Duke Cyril, according to informed quarters, will take place at the end of April at House Doorn, which is the residence of the former Kaiser, the grandfather of the bridegroom.—Trans-Ocean.

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Keen Rivalry Between U.S. Units as Both Camps Train Hard for Gloved War Tuesday Night

NINE bouts will decide the boxing championship of the United States Marines Second Brigade when on Tuesday night the representatives of the Fourth and Sixth Regiments meet in the ring at the Canidrome Gardens. Slugger Jones and Puddy Stoppa are to headline the programme, from which proceeds will be donated to the Father Jacquinot Refugee Relief Fund.

Meeting in a six-rounder, the two Marine boxers will settle an issue long left undecided. Jones professes to having had his eye on Stoppa since before the latter's encounter with the British fighter, Crooner Davis. He challenged the winner of that bout, expecting his Marine mate to emerge victorious. Tables were reversed, however, and Jones was matched with Davis.

Tuesday sees his object attained as he finally opposes Stoppa. Furthermore, on their match rests not only a personal championship but one-ninth of the team title. However, while their main event is scheduled to go six rounds, the other eight fights lined-up are four-rounders.

In support to the fight of the evening, one of these is the Chuck Haines versus Peter Pohan match, while Larry Baker and George Rose match skill in another bout. Such names as Billy Addis, Bobby Bryan, Tarzan Whittington, Dollhouse Craft, Dusty Rhodes, Bobby Bryan and Benny Brewer are also featured on the programme, which brings to light several new faces.

Many Promising Bouts

Starting at 8.15 p.m., the Fourth Marines Band playing before the fights and during the intervals, the ball will be set a-rolling as Brewer meets Swede Hanson, both lightweights. Then, reading up the scroll of contenders, the Haines-Pohan bout takes the place of a semi-final.

Chuck Haines, Fourth Regiment representative, has gained quite a reputation locally and is in many quarters regarded as a leading contender for the highest lightweight honours. A hard puncher, this boxer is speedy in attack and fights determinedly. He is plucky, too, as all who witnessed his showing against Kostia Levchenko will attest. Pohan is an unknown quantity to most fans, but his trainers describe him as a willing mixer with a fair knowledge of the game.

Preceding this bout is the Baker-Rose meeting, in which two former sparring mates are opponents for the sake of their respective regiments and Father Jacquinot's relief fund. Though about a year ago these two trained and daily sparred together, since that time both have changed styles to a certain extent and their knowledge of each other should not mar a good bout.

Larry Baker is a straight puncher, is always in good condition and knows how to use his feet. He is a boxer and not a slugger. His ability to absorb punishment has also been tested and he has not been found wanting. In George Rose he meets an older and more experienced ringman whose forte is a tight defence. Rose makes full use of a ring in his fights and knows how to utilize the ropes to their fullest extent.

Lively Display Expected

Alexander Luke and Tarzan Whittington in their four-rounder just before, however, are of totally different types of boxers. Both are tall and strong men with heavy punches. Neither is an outstanding boxer, preferring to rely on less blows but with telling effect rather than scientific placing and timing of their punches. Luke has not appeared in the ring for a long while Whittington recently met David Usoff, but each is in constant training and four rounds should see them giving a lively display.

Continuing down the programme, Billy Addis and Freddy Zullo are next. Addis is strong and boxer and he is matched with an unknown—always an interesting situation. The former at one time was highly-rated in local ring ratings and is understood to be trying a comeback into the limelight. Regimental honour adds incentive to the men's efforts.

Bruiser Punkovitch versus Dollhouse Craft in a heavyweights' encounter and Louis Lehmans versus Dusty Rhodes, middleweights, are in the preliminary classing. Rhodes of the four is perhaps freshest in fans' memories as he fought on the last card, winning his bout. Craft is of redoubtable repute, and the other two are fighting for their teams.

Following the Brewer-Hanson curtain-raiser there is yet another bout, in which speedy little Bobby Bryan meets fiery Wop Amoroso. They are in the lightweight class, where speed and fast action reign supreme over slower and more powerful blows.

Booking for this charity programme of nine boxing bouts is now open at Squires Bingham Company. The fights themselves go on at 8.15 p.m., Tuesday, January 18, at the Canidrome Gardens.

Mr. Sam Sofoulis and the officials of the Auditorium have donated their equipment, personnel, ring, chairs, and other facilities for the use of charity boxing programme to be held by the Second Brigade, U.S.M.C.

THE HOME FOOTBALL FORECAST

Wolves Likely to Defeat Again the Arsenal To-day

BOLTON SELECTED OVER GRIMSBY TOWN

By Scrutator

The Home league schedule provides at least one interesting game, one that will be a miniature Cup tie as both the contestants have been drawn together in the next round of the cup; they are Wolverhampton and Arsenal who meet on the ground of the former club to-day.

The Wolves, who have two games in hand of the Arsenal, are only a point behind the gunners, and there is nothing much to choose between the respective defences according to the league table. The Wolves won last season and I am taking them to win this game.

Grimsby Town defeated Bolton Wanderers last season, but in view of the fact that the former side was engaged in a cup-replay in mid-week, I do not expect them to repeat the performance. Bolton are still interested in the Championship, and should win this game.

Brentford, the leaders, visit Huddersfield, and few teams manage to defeat the homesters on their own ground. A draw is a likely result as the Town appears to be weak in front, although the defence appears to be sound.

Charlton Athletic should defeat Liverpool who have also taken part in a cup-tie replay during the week.

Aston Villa Favoured

In the Second Division, Aston Villa should defeat Southampton, and Sheffield United should defeat the United from Newcastle. Coventry City the leaders are away from home, meeting Burnley who took part in a cup replay, and for this reason I favour the visitors to win.

Chesterfield, Manchester United and Bradford should all return home wins.

In the Southern Section, Queen's Park Rangers should retain the leadership by taking two points from Bournemouth. Cardiff City visit Southend and should defeat the homesters. Notts County should gain two points from Aldershot who, however, have been turning in surprise away wins. Crystal Palace and Millwall have been engaged in cup replays and anything might happen in this game, a draw is a likely result.

In the Northern Section, Rotherham, the leaders, should defeat York City who drew with Hartlepools in a mid-week league engagement. Hull City should improve their championship prospects at the expense of the lowly Hartlepools. Oldham should add two more points to their score by defeating Crewe. Doncaster Rovers still have an outside chance of winning the championship and should defeat Southport. Gateshead, who are also interested in the destination of the championship, should have an easy home win over Barrow.

Celtic Should Win

In Scotland, Celtic should defeat Aberdeen and strengthen their position at the top of the table as Hearts will have to fight hard for two points at Partick. Motherwell, who have recently signed Hastie of Huddersfield, should defeat their near rivals Kilmarnock.

St. Mirren usually give Rangers a good run, and as the Rangers have not been impressive of late the homesters might hold them to a draw. Ayr United and Falkirk should be good home winners.

English League

First Division

Bolton Wanderers *v.* Grimsby Town
Charlton A. *v.* Liverpool
Chelsea *v.* West Bromwich Albion
Everton *v.* Blackpool
Huddersfield *v.* Brentford
Leicester City *v.* Manchester City
Portsmouth *v.* Birmingham
Preston N. End *v.* Leeds United
Stoke City *v.* Middlesbrough
Sunderland *v.* Derby County
Wolverhampton *v.* Arsenal

Second Division

Aston Villa *v.* Southampton
Bradford *v.* West Ham
Burnley *v.* **Coventry City**
Chesterfield *v.* Fulham
Manchester United *v.* Luton Town
Norwich City *v.* Blackburn Rovers
Plymouth A. *v.* Bury
Sheffield United *v.* Newcastle United
Stockport *v.* Barnsley
Swansea *v.* Sheffield Wed.
Tottenham *v.* Notts Forest

Third Division (Southern)

Bristol City *v.* Exeter
Clapton Orient *v.* Walsall
Crystal Palace *v.* Millwall
Mansfield T. *v.* Bristol Rovers
Newport *v.* **Swindon**
Notts County *v.* Aldershot
Queens P. R. *v.* Bournemouth
Reading *v.* Brighton
Southend *v.* **Cardiff City**
Torquay *v.* **Northampton**
Watford *v.* Gillingham

Third Division (Northern)

Accrington *v.* Halifax
Chester *v.* **Tranmere Rovers**
Darlington *v.* Port Vale
Doncaster *v.* Southport
Gateshead *v.* Barrow
Hull City *v.* Hartlepools
Lincoln *v.* Carlisle
New Brighton *v.* Wrexham
Oldham *v.* Crewe A.
Rochdale *v.* Bradford City
Rotherham *v.* York City

Scottish League

First Division

Ayr United *v.* Morton
Celtic *v.* Aberdeen
Dundee *v.* Hamilton
Falkirk *v.* Clyde
Hibernians *v.* Q. of the South
Motherwell *v.* Kilmarnock
Partick Thistle *v.* **Hearts**
St. Johnstone *v.* **Queens Park**
St. Mirren *v.* Rangers
Third Lanark *v.* Arbroath

A FALL AT SANDOWN

T. Elder is seen falling from Knuckleduster at the first fence in the Effingham Handicap 'Chase at Sandown Park recently.

BUCCANEERS DEFEAT MARINE REDS

Close Play Features Games at Foreign "Y"

FILIPINOS NO MATCH FOR THE EAGLES

The Reds team of the Fourth Regiment, U.S. Marine Corps, failed to withstand the crafty Buccaneers in last night's play at the Foreign Y. M. C. A. Invitation Basketball League and lost to the defending champions by a score of 24-16. This defeat eventually put the "Fighting Fourth" out of the running for this year's title race, since they had previously fallen victims to the Marine officers by 23-21 on Tuesday.

Tight defensive play featured last night's encounter. The Buccaneers employed the man-to-man system while the Marines adopted the five-man zone formation. During the first twenty minutes, the score was held down to the lowest ever seen on the "Y" floor since the league began in 1929. It ended with the leathernecks netting eight points (three field goals and two foul shots) and the ultimate winners six (one basket from the field and three free tosses). Ryan was the only person to counter for the "Y" outfit.

Bucs Change Tactics

The start of the second period saw the Buccaneers play with renewed tactics. The combination of Carson-Ryan-Squires immediately took effect. With the elongated centre shooting from within the foul zone and Squires on the side-line, the Marine defence was ripped wide open. This enabled the champions to reel off four baskets without any reply and the game was never in doubt. In the latter session Ryan countered three times by using his height to the best of his advantage. The Marines, on the other hand, were all tied up and had practically no means of breaking away from the Buccaneers' airtight guarding.

Ryan started to score when he tallied a foul shot and then followed up with a field basket. Solomon opened the Reds' account. Then Carson scored a foul throw only to see the score equalized by Nittinger, whose shot tied the score at 4-all. Midway through the initial period, Carson and Solomon each converted from the foul line. Squires followed suit to put his team in the lead at 6-5 but shortly before the half-time arrived Solomon contributed three points to gain an upperhand by 8-6.

Buccaneers Ahead

Upon the re-start Carson tallied via the foul route. Christensen countered likewise and the margin was 9-7 still in favour of the Reds. Heretofore, the "Y" cagers used their strategy for Squires to tally the first goal of their winning spree which was followed by Carson and Ryan, making the score read 19-9 before the Reds asked for "time-out." Continuing, Krause scored on a foul. Then Carson chalked up a free throw and then a field goal. With a safe lead of 17-9 the title-holders adopted "stalling" tactics towards the last five minutes and succesfully breezed through to retire by a margin of two field goals and four foul shots, according to their summary which reads as follows:—

Buccaneers

	fg.	ft.	f.	pts.
Krause	0	1	1	1
Squires	1	1	1	3
Bernard	0	0	1	0
Carson	4	4	4	16
Morang	0	0	0	0
Ryan	3	2	0	8
	8	3	7	24

Marine Reds

Koning	0	0	1	0
Nittinger	1	0	2	2
Solomon	2	2	3	6
Lewis	1	0	2	2
Christensen	2	1	1	5
Hatcher	0	1	2	1
	6	4	11	16

Eagles Trim Philippines

Following the Buccaneers' victory, the Eagles met the Philippines in a junior league match which was won by the Chinese by 25-15. The winners had a very poor beginning as none of the players seemed to be in form.

Eagles

	fg.	ft.	f.	pts.
C. L. Chang	2	1	0	5
Z. S. Sung	3	0	1	6
W. L. Loo	0	0	0	0
Y. A. Chen	2	1	1	5
T. Chow	1	1	2	3
S. T. Chow	2	0	1	4
T. T. Tung	1	0	2	2
	11	3	5	25

Philippines

Mendoza	2	1	0	5
Joseph	0	1	2	1
Carrabias	2	0	1	4
Evenlisco	1	0	1	2
Souza	1	1	1	3
Bonza	0	0	0	0
	6	3	5	15

HOME LEAGUE SOCCER RESULTS

London, Jan. 13.

Following are the results of English League football matches played today: 3rd Division (Southern).—Newport 0, Torquay 2; 3rd Division (Northern).—Hull 10, Southport 1.—Reuter.

County Rugger Match Won by Kent

London, Jan. 13.

In a county rugger match at Oxford, to-day, Kent defeated Oxfordshire by 13 points to 3.—Reuter.

A.P.C. WILL TACKLE JARDINE

Oilers' Mixed Hockey Team Meet Shippers Sunday

Mixed hockey between Shanghai's larger firms is beginning to flourish as another match has been arranged for this week-end. To-morrow morning at 10.30 o'clock, Jardine Matheson & Co. will face the Asiatic Petroleum Co. on the Cricket Club ground. It will be the first appearance of Jardine's mixed hockey team this year and as a result they are an unknown quantity as far as stick-wielding ability is concerned. The A.P.C., on the other hand, is an experienced team, having lost to the Imperial Chemical Industries recently.

There are more known hockey names on the A.P.C. team, and they will be installed, therefore, as favourites. They are particularly strong in women players, having such threats as Miss Sheridan, Miss Donnelly and Mrs. McGilchrist who show by their play just why they do not leave it all to the men.

There are now four hockey-minded firms in the field. In the first game the I.C.I. narrowly defeated the A.P.C. and then last week-end, the Telephone Co. upset all predictions by administering a severe beating to the highly-touted I.C.I. by a score of 5-1.

Hoping to victimize Jardine, taking full advantage of their inexperience, the A.P.C. are confident of breaking into the winning columns this week. The players who are to take the field in this game to-morrow follow.

EWO:—Mrs. Moodie, Miss P. Dillon, Miss M. Ross, Miss B. Gordon, G. Puncheon, L. Sackville West, P. Proby, I. F. Aucott, B. E. Bolton, A. A. White, E. H. Brazel. Reserves: Miss V. Lumsdaine, R. J. S. Brandt, Official Lineman: Miss J. L. Hodgman.

A.P.C.:—Miss Sheridan, Miss Donnelly, Mrs. Churton, Mrs. McGilchrist, T. S. Powell, J. H. Ford, C. Woolhouse, L. J. Coulcher, I. E. McGilchrist, C. Robertson, H. F. B. Gardener.

VINES BEATS PERRY ONCE MORE

Takes Second Match of New Tour of U.S.A.

San Francisco, Jan. 13.

Ellsworth Vines, professional titleholder and former world amateur champion, made it two straight today against Fred Perry, one of Britain's greatest tennis players of all time, in their second annual barnstorming tour of the United States.

The lanky Californian won to-day's match by two sets to one, after winning the opening encounter on Tuesday in five gruelling sets.

After a ding-dong battle in the first set, which Vines took, 10-8, the British star, who turned professional in October, 1936, revealed excellent court craft in the second set. Perry took the second set, 6-4. With the score deadlocked, Vines spurted and won the third set and match, 6-3.

By winning the first two matches of the current series, which is expected to consist of at least 40 matches, Vines has got off to a fair start in an effort to repeat last year's brilliant triumph.

Last year Perry made his debut as a pro, meeting Vines in a dual professional championship series which took them to all parts of the United States in a six-month tour. At the end of the tour, Vines emerged triumphant, 32 matches against 29.

Another Exhibition

An exhibition between Walter Senio., former California champion, and Berkeley Bell, former ranking singles player and now a professional of Texas and New York, also marked to-day's programme.

The San Francisco player showed excellent form and defeated the professional in two straight sets, 6-1 and 8-6.

In the first match of the current Vines-Perry feud, played on Tuesday at Los Angeles, the American won in five sets. The scores were: 4-6, 13-11, 8-10, 6-2 and 6-3.—United Press.

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JAPAN'S DELEGATES TO MEETING

Prince Tokugawa Heading Olympic Party

Tokyo, Jan. 14.

Four delegates, headed by Prince Iyesato Tokugawa, were to-day chosen to represent Japan at the next Meeting of the International Olympic Committee, to be held in Cairo beginning March 10, to discuss and approve plans for the next Olympic Games in 1940.

Other delegates were: Dr. Jigoro Kano, Japan's representative on the I.O.C., Mr. Matsuzo Nagai, Chief Secretary of the Olympic Organizing Committee, and Mr. Warner Klingeberg, German technical adviser to the Committee.—Domei.

SPORTS PROGRAMME THIS WEEK-END

To-day

SOCCER:—Skotowe Cup 2nd Round.—S.F.C. *v.* D.L.I., R.G. 1, 2.30 p.m., G. E. Knight; Sokol *v.* S.R.C., R.G. 5, 2.30 p.m., F. C. Hale.

Junior Cup Semi-finals.—Area Details *v.* F.Y.M.C.A., Kiaochow, 2.30 p.m., C. F. Lee.

Reserve division.—Lusitano *v.* S.M.P., S.R.C., J. Anderson.

2nd division.—R.W.F. *v.* Russ. Regt., R.G. 2, A. Hurry.

RUGGER:—2.15 p.m.—Durham L. I. 2nd XV *v.* R. W. Fus. 2nd XV. Referee: G. D. Nicholl.

2.15 p.m.—S.R.U.F.C. 2nd XV *v.* U.S. Marines 2nd XV. Referee: E. MacLaren.

3.15 p.m.—Durham L. I. 1st XV *v.* R. W. Fus. 1st XV. Referee: R. D. K. Silby.

3.15 p.m.—S.R.U.F.C. 3rd XV *v.* R. W. Fus. 3rd XV. Referee: H. W. Carter.

MEN'S HOCKEY:—S.H.C. "A" *v.* Durham "A" ground 3, R.C. at 2.15 p.m.; German "B" *v.* S. M. Gaol ground 3, R.C. at 3.30 p.m.; Durham "C" *v.* Khalsa ground 6, R.C. at 2.15 p.m.; German "C" *v.* United "B" ground 6, R.C. at 3.30 p.m. S.H.C. "C" *v.* Area Details ground 7, R.C. at 2.45 p.m.

WOMEN'S HOCKEY:—Sportsgirls *v.* J.A.C. ground 4, R.C. at 2.30 p.m.; In Uno *v.* Sokol ground 4, R.C. at 3.30 p.m.

BASEBALL:—Invitation League, Foreign Y.M.C.A.

To-morrow

SOCCER:—Skottowe Cup 2nd Round.—A.S.F. *v.* Savoia, Canidrome, 10.30 a.m., P. Drossel; Loyals *v.* S.M.P., R.G. 5, 2.30 p.m., A. C. Sinclair.

Junior Cup Semi-finals.—P.T.H. *v.* Vitiaz, Kiaochow, 2.30 p.m., W. Sedman.

Reserve division.—S.F.C. *v.* D.L.I., R.G. 1, Sgt. Morand; S.R.C. *v.* Loyals, S.R.C., N. Fadeyeff.

2nd division.—R.A.M.C. *v.* Area Details, R.G. 2, I. Taylor; U.T.P. *v.* B.M.P., Kiaochow, 9 a.m., G. Tai.

RUGGER:—2.15 p.m.—A Navy Side *v.* A Durham, L. I. Side. Referee: L. W. Walkinshaw.

3 p.m.—S.R.U.F.C. 1st XV *v.* U.S. Marines 1st XV. Referee: G. S. Dunkley.

3.15 p.m.—Area Details *v.* French Army. Referee: D. W. Leach.

MEN'S HOCKEY:—Loyal "A" *v.* United "A" ground 3, R.C. at 2.45 p.m.; German "A" *v.* Welch "A" ground 6, R.C. at 2.45 p.m.; Durham "C" *v.* S.H.C. "A" ground 7, R.C. at 2.45 p.m.; Sikh Police *v.* J.A.C. K.P. at 2.45 p.m.

WOMEN'S:—Hockey, — Amazons *v.* Rowing Club, Kiaochow Park, 10.45 a.m.; German "B" *v.* J.A.C. "B," R.G. 4, 2.30 p.m.

MIXED HOCKEY:—Jardine Matheson & Co., Ltd. *v.* Asiatic Petroleum Co. at Cricket Club ground from 10.30 a.m.

S.F.C. Soccer Teams

SKOTTOWE CUP:—Gaberman, Greenberg, G., Jenssen, Morris, Greenberg, M., Muir, Harris, Kimber (captain), Lipkovsky, Thornley, Allison.

RESERVE DIVISION:—Franklin, Eardley, Seegelkin, Laird, Dudd, Ladar, Paskides, Solovieff, Godkin, Gray, Allison.

ONE MORE VICTIM FOR ARMSTRONG

"Homicide Henry" Flattens Former Italian Champion

KNOCKOUT ARRIVES IN SIXTH ROUND

New York, Jan. 13.

Henry Armstrong, negro world featherweight champion and rated by Ring Magazine as the world's best lightweight, to-night gave further evidence of his murderous blows when he knocked out Enrico Venturi, former Italian champion, in the sixth of a planned ten-round bout.

The Italian lightweight titleholder proved to be another stepping stone for "Homicide Henry" in his sensational rise to the top.

Fighting as full-fledged lightweight, the "Human Buzz Saw" cut through the Italian's defence like a knife through butter and inflicted terrible punishment.

Venturi, once a strong contender for world lightweight honours when he first came to this country two years ago, has not been doing too well in recent months and to-night's beating probably will leave him in softened condition.

Fatal Count

With the referee standing over him and tolling the fatal count, the former Italian champion lay grovelling on the canvas, claiming a foul, which was disallowed.

Venturi became the "Human Windmill's" 28th kayo victim in 29 starts, although he lasted a considerably longer distance than the majority of the lads who have been frozen by the negro's lethal punches.

Venturi's ability to last as long as six rounds against the chocolate-coloured boxer was not because of skill, strength or determination but simply because he gave a fine exhibition of "mounting the bicycle."

His back-pedalling tactics throughout the bout aroused the crowd against him and made the bout extremely dull. Armstrong kept after his foe continually but was given little opportunity to open up his heavy guns because of his foe's failure to stand up and fight. However, whenever "Homicide Henry" cornered him, he lashed out with both fists to leave telling marks on the Italian's face and body.

The End Arrives

The end came in the sixth, Armstrong pouncing on his man and rocking him with a seemingly endless barrage of rights and lefts to face and body, especially to the mid-riff, which caused Venturi to sink and clamour for a foul.

The Italian suffered not only a knockout but a month's suspension for failure to make 137 pounds. He weighed 137¾, while Armstrong tipped the scales at 134½, the heaviest that he has weighed to date.

Venturi, who weighed around the 140 mark, had promised the New York Boxing Commission that he would enter at 137, but he exceeded this limit.—United Press.

FOREIGN PLAYERS IN FRENCH FOOTBALL

London, Dec. 10.

There is a very high percentage of foreign players in French football at present. Of the 700 players engaged by the 41 French clubs, about 160 are imported. England provides seventeen and Scotland six Austria heads the list with 40, Hungary coming next with 32.—Reuter.

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Albert Van Dekker ..... LeBrun
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A gay and witty romance of a jester who turned the tables on those who were about to perpetrate the Supreme Jape of the Century at his expense is the novel theme of "The Great Garrick," which all too rapidly unfolded its reels before a delighted audience at the Cathay Theatre yesterday. The great actor David Garrick, so starts the plot, is off to France to play as a guest artist for the famous Comedie Francaise. Unfortunately, a wild rumour that he has stated he is only going because he wishes to teach the French how to act reaches that justly-incensed body, and the French actors decide to stage a wild scene, lasting a whole night long, at an inn they have hired, in order to make him look ridiculous before the world and so avenge the insult. But he learns of this—and the rest is the balance of this story. It is a pity that with such a fine story to live up to, the choice of leading man should fall on Mr. Brian Aherne. This is said not with a view to disparaging a fine performance—he is a capable screen actor—but someone with more experience of the stage and of Shakespearean roles in particular would have given his part the added touch which would have brought it nearer to perfection. But the balance of the cast more than makes up for the deficiency; Miss de Havilland, to pick out one at random, turns in a very fine performance as the unwitting ingenue who turns up at the inn by chance. "The Great Garrick" is well worth seeing twice.—E.G.A.

Second French Popular Front Government Falls

(Continued from page 5)

tions were sent to the Government regarding the Cabinet's proposed measures.

A deputation from the Left groups subsequently interviewed M. Chautemps, after which it was stated that the Premier might clarify his references to the disturbance of the social order.

M. Chautemps' second speech did not refer to monetary measures, but tried to placate the Left groups by paying a tribute to the Confederation of Labour for having attended the conference on industrial unrest.

"Heavy responsibility," he said, "rested on employers who had refused to attend."

The speech was only moderately applauded.—Reuter.

M. FLANDIN TAKES UNHAPPY VIEW

End of Democracy, Popular Front, or Ruin

Paris, Jan. 13.

Two ways are now open for France, declared M. Pierre-Etienne Flandin, former Premier, commenting to-day on the present difficulties of the country.

One of these would be a policy providing for exchange control, rupture of the tripartite monetary agreement among France, Great Britain and the United States, followed by a political dictatorship and the end of democracy.

The other solution, according to M. Flandin, would be a break in the Popular Front.

Any intermediate solution would uselessly risk and exhaust the resources of the Exchange Equalization Fund, draw on the gold reserve of the Banque de France and jeopardize France's prestige abroad.—Havas.

ULSTER SEPARATION CRISIS FACED

Northern Nationalists Study Anglo-Eire Conference

Belfast, Jan. 13.

"We confidently count upon the united action of our nationalist people to face the imminent crisis now confronting them," says a statement issued at the conclusion of a meeting to-day of the Nationalist members of the North Irish Parliament. The conference met to discuss the forthcoming Conference between Ireland and Great Britain.

The statement congratulates Mr. Eamon de Valera, Prime Minister of Eire, for including on the agenda the "all-important question of the partition of Ireland."

It also assures him that the Northern Nationalists are most anxious to co-operate with their Unionist fellow-countrymen on all matters of mutual interest, once the unity of the country is established.—Reuter.

DOMEI MANAGER WOUNDED BY SNIPER IN NORTH

Peiping, Japan, 14.

Mr. Jiro Suzuki, manager of the branch office of the Domei News Agency in Taiyuan, was wounded by a bullet fired by a Chinese sniper near Tzeshin, along the Chengtai Railway, at 8.30 o'clock last night.

Also wounded at the same time was an unnamed employee of the "Osaka Mainichi," who was struck in the head by a bullet from a sniper's gun.—Domei.

BRITISH SERVICE MISSION FOR PORTUGAL

Lisbon, Jan. 14.

The British service mission which is to visit Portugal will arrive in Lisbon about February 20.—Wireless through Reuter.

Outer Mongolian Troops Capture Charhar Capital

Chinese Report Taking of Pailingmiao

RECAPTURE OF TSINING ALSO ANNOUNCED

Hankow, Jan. 14.

Outer Mongolian troops have occupied Pailingmiao, important city in north Charhar and seat of Prince Teh's Inner Mongolian "Autonomous" Government, according to Chinese reports to-day from Lanchow, Kansu province, and also from Linfeng, the present capital of Shansi province.

As a result of the active participation of Outer Mongolian troops in the present campaign in Charhar, the Japanese are reported to be rushing reinforcements in order to prevent these troops harassing the rear of the Japanese forces operating on the Suiyuan and Shansi fronts.—Reuter.

Mysterious Withdrawal

Peiping, Jan. 14.

The Japanese military authorities profess to be mystified by the sudden withdrawal of Chinese forces from the positions they have held for several weeks, south of Taiyuan-fu, particularly Tingyuo and Lingshih, where there has been no fighting for some time.

The Japanese have launched no offensive, but several thousand troops have begun to withdraw to the south.

Japanese military forces have also reported that most of the Central Government troops, which have been in Shansi for some months, have now withdrawn south of the Yellow River, in Honan Province, leaving South Shansi in the hands of the provincial and Communist troops.—Reuter.

Tsining Advance

Hankow, Jan. 13.

Following several days of heavy fighting resulting in the capture of Tsining by the Japanese, the front along the Tientsin-Pukow railway has become quiet again. The Japanese forces are now preparing to advance in a south-westerly direction on the Lunghai railway with the railway stations of Kweiteh, Minchuan and Tangshan presumably being their next objectives.

At the same time, Japanese cavalry and mechanized units are being concentrated near the Grand Canal west of Tsilin.

Commenting upon the new Japanese plan to reach the Lunghai railway from the south-west, military experts here state that the Japanese apparently underestimated the fighting strength of the Chinese troops near Hsuchow. The Chinese therefore expect a far-reaching manœuvre to encircle Hsuchow, which would enable the Japanese to paralyse traffic on the Lunghai railway.

In Shansi

On the Shansi front and along the Peiping-Hankow railway, fighting has been resumed following a Japanese concentration of over 20,000 men in the towns of Shuanteh, Hantang and Tzeshien, situated on the railway, for an attack eastward in order to establish a connection between the Japanese lines on the Peiping-Hankow railway and in eastern Shansi. The attack is being supported by a column advancing on Shansi along the branch line of the Peiping-Hankow railway running from Shichiachwang to Taiyuanfu.

While up to the present time, the Japanese troops have operated only along the railway lines, they are now attempting to occupy also the hinterland in order to drive Chinese volunteers from their hiding places. The Japanese advance in Shansi province is mainly directed against the holy mountain of Wu Tai-shan, one of the five Buddhist places of pilgrimage in China, the cleft massif of which is considered a base for Chinese volunteers. The Chinese, however, believe that these volunteers will be able to check the Japanese move against them.

Remarkable successes of Chinese guerilla bands are reported from the south of Hopei, where a number of towns are said to have been freed from Japanese occupation.—Trans-Ocean.

Tsining Recaptured

Hsuchow, Jan. 14.

Tsining, strategic city in southern Shantung, which was occupied by the Japanese on Tuesday night, was recaptured by the Chinese yesterday after a fierce counter-attack.

After the Japanese had occupied Tsining on the night of January 11, the Chinese troops under Lieut.-General Tsao Ju-lin, Commander of the 29th Division, attached to the 3rd Route Army under General Han Fu-chu, Chairman of the Shantung Provincial Government, withdrew to the western bank of the Grand Canal. Upon the arrival of heavy reinforcements, the Chinese, after crossing the frozen Canal on foot, launched a fierce counter-attack on the Japanese on Wednesday night. Taking them by surprise, the Chinese succeeded in penetrating the city and driving out the Japanese. The city was recaptured early yesterday. Continuing their pursuit, the Chinese are reported to have cleared out all Japanese troops within a 3-mile radius of Tsining.—Kuo Min.

JAPANESE BOMBING KWANGTUNG CITIES

Freighters Sunk in Plane Attacks

Staging new raids on Chinese lines of communication Japanese naval aircraft on Thursday bombed objectives over a wide area in Kwangtung.

Two large freight ships were sunk at Tatanghsu, while freight trains and locomotive sheds were destroyed at Yinchanyao, Chuntien, Sanhuotien and between Kongtsun and Pakong, on the Canton-Hankow Railway.

REFUGEE WORK

The daily report for January 13 follows:—

Camps under inspection by Public Health Department	177
Refugees therein	90,111

RONIN DISTURB THE PARAMOUNT

Dance Hall Closes Early on Advice of the Police

HOSTESS CARRIED ACROSS THE FLOOR

The entry of a party of eleven Japanese, believed to have been of the "ronin" type, into the Paramount Ballroom shortly after 10 o'clock last night resulted in a disturbance, and the closing of the amusement centre at about 10.30, instead of half an hour later. Four of the party were wearing a kind of Japanese army uniform, and the whole party kept their hats on during the time they remained in the Paramount. A couple of Settlement policeman, a Japanese sergeant and a foreign sergeant, who were summoned by the management to deal with the disturbance, were unable to pacify the party, and advised the manager to close immediately.

A "North-China Daily News" reporter who arrived at the Paramount a few minutes after it had been closed, found a group discussing the disturbance in the foyer. "As soon as the party of Japanese came in," explained the manager, "they started to create a disturbance. They shouted out at other patrons, pushed and shoved, and generally were most aggressive. On the dance floor, they attempted to push aside everyone who happened to get in their way."

The manager stated that one of the Japanese picked up a chair and waved it around until it was taken away from him. Other patrons of the Paramount remained quiet in spite of the aggressiveness of the Japanese, until one of the party went up to a Russian dance hostess, picked her up, and started carrying her across the room.

Foreign Rescuers

The girl screamed for help, and four foreigners rushed out from various parts of the dance hall to seize her from the Japanese. The latter, seeing the foreigners approaching, dropped the girl, and clapped his hands, which was interpreted as a challenge. All of the patrons, however, remained silent, obviously wishing to avoid any incident, and anxious not to aggravate a delicate situation.

The two police sergeants who were summoned from Bubbling Well Station did their best to persuade the Japanese to behave in a less aggressive manner, but seeing that all their arguments would be of no avail, advised the manager to close up for the night. Some patrons had already left, preferring not to be insulted, nor to become involved in a disturbance with the Japanese.

A foreign eye-witness told the "North-China Daily News" that all present, both foreigners and Chinese behaved with admirable restraint under the most trying circumstances. Especial credit was due to the Chinese for refusing to do anything which would allow the situation to develop into anything more serious.

After the order to close up had been given, patrons left in an orderly way, and the party of Japanese also left without causing any further trouble.

PROMINENT CHINESE LAWYER SHOT

Mr. Y. T. Van Attacked by Unidentified Man

Mr. Y. T. Van, a prominent Chinese lawyer in Shanghai, was shot through the face yesterday by an unidentified Chinese just outside his residence at Lane 155, Weihaiwei Road at 5.30 p.m. The man fired three shots out of a pistol, two missing and the third passing through Mr. Van's cheeks. He was immediately taken to the Paulun Hospital while the assailant escaped. Mr. Van, who is about 52 years of age, is expected to recover. The motive for the shooting could not be ascertained.

JAPAN TO FINANCE N. CHINA BANK

Mr. Yuki Confident Over Trade Position

Tokyo, Jan. 14.

Although Japan has not yet been formally approached for a credit of Y.100,000,000 for the projected Federated Reserve Bank in North China, Japanese financiers will "naturally" support the new institution, said Mr. Toyotaro Yuki, Governor of the Bank of Japan, after a meeting of the Treasury's advisory committee, which discussed the financial situation in North China.

The plans for establishing the reserve bank are apparently making good headway," he added.

Mr. Yuki said there was no ground for pessimism regarding Japan's own foreign trade, nor was there any necessity for additional shipments of gold abroad.—Domei.

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Britain's Trade Outlook Bright For Long Future

Viscount Horne Declares No Sign of Slump in Sight

COMMODITY PRICES TO BECOME ADJUSTED

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Jan. 13.

"I see no signs of a slump," declared Viscount Horne, formerly Chancellor of the Exchequer as Sir Robert Horne, addressing industrialists at Birmingham to-day. He was referring to the trade figures which showed that Britain enjoyed the greatest volume of internal and external trade last year since 1930.

Viscount Horne pointed out that commodity prices had risen too high early in 1937, and the recent drop unduly disturbed the markets. He believed, however, that they would soon recover.

He considered that President Roosevelt's announced intention to control commodity prices was a great disservice to world prosperity, which depended on good prices.

"I believe, however, that America will revert from that attitude," Viscount Horne added, "and the world will return to the position it occupied in the middle of 1937."—Reuter.

MR. SUN FO ARRIVES IN HOLLAND

Met by Three Ambassadors at Amsterdam Air Port

Amsterdam, Jan. 14.

Mr. Sun Fo, President of China's Legislative Yuan, arrived at the KLM aerodrome here to-day ending his trip from Singapore.

Mr. Sun was welcomed by a large delegation of Chinese diplomats, including Dr. Wellington Koo, Chinese Ambassador to France, Dr. Quo Tai-chi, Chinese Ambassador to Great Britain, and Dr. Tsien Tai, Chinese Ambassador to Belgium. M. Albert Plesman, president of the KLM Airways, was also on hand to welcome Mr. Sun.

Before Mr. Sun entered rooms which had been reserved for him on the third floor of the Carlton Hotel, detectives took the precaution to inspect everything and obtain credentials from all guests on the same floor.

In an interview with the United Press, Dr. Koo emphatically denied that Mr. Sun would become Ambassador to Moscow and pointed out that he had come to Europe with a group of Chinese government officials on a special mission.

Several Countries

"Mr. Sun's intention," Dr. Koo said, "is to visit several European capitals in order to get a direct impression of the situation here and to ascertain the attitude of the governments in various European countries with respect to the Chinese cause. He hopes to hold conversations with many important statesmen in Europe, including, of course, Russia. He will not stay there as ambassador, however."

Dr. Koo admitted that Mr. Sun had come to Europe on a special mission but declared he was not in a position to reveal the nature of the mission.

Mr. Sun's party is expected to remain in Holland for two or three weeks in order to confer with Chinese representatives from Paris, London, Brussels, Prague and The Hague.—United Press.

MORE BRITISH CAVALRY REGIMENTS MOTORIZED

London, Jan. 14.

Mechanisation has been ordered of the four cavalry regiments at present stationed in India. Excepting one regiment of hussars, which is to return to England, the mechanization will be carried out in India. Ten British cavalry regiments of the line have already been converted or are in the process of conversion into tank or armoured car units.—Trans-Ocean.

RUMANIAN IRON GUARDS BACK GOGA REGIME

Bucharest, Jan. 14.

Possibility of a serious clash between the green-shirted Iron Guards and the new Premier of the Fascist regime in Rumania, M. Octavian Goga, passed to-day as M. Corneliu Codreanu, Iron Guard leader pledged support to the Goga Government.—United Press.

Here's luck!
EWO BEER

JAPAN HANDICAPPED IN SHANGHAI

Too Many Representations by Foreign Powers

MR. KAWAI TELLS TOKYO OF HIS VISIT

Tokyo, Jan. 14.

Japanese authorities in Shanghai are working under unbearable conditions because of the representations filed by foreign powers there, Mr. Tatsuo Kawai, Director of the Gaimusho's Information Bureau, told the press in an interview last night.

Mr. Kawai arrived in Tokyo last evening from Shanghai, where he made a two weeks' inspection tour. Upon his arrival he called on the Foreign Minister, Mr. Koki Hirota, and submitted a report on present conditions in China.

Foreign powers are too often filing representations in Shanghai with the Japanese concerning "minor matters following dissipation of the balance of power of Shanghai as an international city," he told reporters.

Peace and Order

Peace and order in the regions captured by the Japanese were being maintained through the efforts of the recently organized Peace Maintenance Commissions and the pacification campaign carried out by the Japanese.

Criminals are being punished according to a moral code owing to the inexistence of written regulations, he declared.

Mentioned as noteworthy by Mr. Kawai was the movement being conducted by the Japanese Residents' Corporation of Shanghai for the relief of Chinese who suffered hardships in the hostilities.

The charitable activities being carried out by the Japanese were aiding more than 30,000,000 refugees throughout China, he said.—Domei.

TSINGTAO PUPILS MAY NOW RETURN

Conditions are now safe enough in Tsingtao to permit parents of pupils at St. Giles' School to send their children back, it was learned here yesterday. A telegram was received by H.M. Consulate in Shanghai from the British Consul in Tsingtao to the effect that conditions would seem to be entirely safe in Tsingtao, as the Japanese were in complete control, and there were no Chinese troops within some hundred miles. This information was passed on by the Shanghai consular authorities to Miss Keenan, who is charge of all Christmas holiday pupils who have been waiting in Shanghai ready to return to school when conditions permitted.

WOLVES NOW RAMPANT IN POLAND

Warsaw, Jan. 14.

A general alarm has been sounded in various snowbound districts of Poland where wolves have been driven out of their forest haunts by the present abnormally cold spell and are invading the villages.

Reports speak of a general migration of wolves, the vanguard having reached the provinces formerly belonging to part of western Prussia. Here the influx of wolves constitutes a real peril as this region is famous for its game, which is being preyed upon by the wolves.—Trans-Ocean.

H.M.S. HOOD IN BARCELONA HARBOUR

Paris, Jan. 14.

H.M.S. Hood, the largest battleship in the world, dropped anchor in the roadstead of Barcelona yesterday.—Trans-Ocean.

Japan's Labour Organs Hasten To Adjust Views

Tokyo Press Reveals Effect of Recent "Purge"

PROLETARIATS DECLARE SUPPORT OF CABINET

Tokyo, Jan. 14.

Japan's social movement has gone Rightist, the metropolitan press said to-day in commenting on a recent series of defections from the Marxist camp.

The executive committee of the Tokyo Transport Workers' Union yesterday expelled more than 30 members who were arrested in last month's police raids for alleged violation of the Peace Maintenance Ordinance. The committee also abjured class warfare and advocated conciliation and co-operation between workers and employers.

The Japan Council of Trade Unions has also gone on record in favour of putting an end to strikes and promoting industrial co-operation.

The strong National Peasants' Union has announced it would collaborate with the proletarian Social Masses Party in supporting the Konoye Cabinet.

To signify their severance from Leftist traditions, labour organizations have decided to abolish May Day celebrations. Instead, a Japan Labour Day will be held on February 11, simultaneously with the commemoration of the Empire Day. The reform has been strongly advocated by the National Council of Patriotic Labour Unions.

The swing rightward in labour opinion followed a series of raids staged upon Leftist leaders and organizations in the middle of last month on instructions from Admiral Nobumasa Suetsugu, new Home Minister.—Domei.

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OBITUARY

Mr. H. L. Coghlan

London, Jan. 14.

Mr. Henry Lake Coghlan, one of the first persons to sell plantation rubber at Singapore auctions, has died here.—Reuter.

Mr. James Reid

London, Jan. 13.

The death has occurred of Mr. James Reid, former manager of the Taikoo Dockyard and Engineering Company in Hongkong.—Reuter.

SIR FREDERICK WHYTE'S NEW APPOINTMENT

London, Jan. 14.

Sir Frederick Whyte, formerly Political Adviser to the Nationalist Government of China, was to-day appointed Director-General of the English-speaking Union of the British Empire which is being reorganized.—Reuter.

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U.S. G.$	29 11/16	29 11/16
Yen	101½	101½

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	Cash	January		
£ T.T.	1/2 3/8	4 m/s. l.c.	1/2 3/8	
G.$ T.T.	29½	4 m/s. l.c.	29¼	
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The local exchange market opened with sellers to merchants at 1/2 3/8 Sterling 29½ U.S.$ and 101½ for Yen The Interbank market was very quiet and business was very restricted. There were sellers of January at 1/2 3/8 Sterling and 29 1/16 U.S.$ & Feb. 1/1 3/16 sterling 29 1/16 U.S.$. Buyers were not interested at these rates.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

Bombay Rupee T. T. on:	Jan. 13.		
Japan	77½	London	1/6 7/16
New York	265¼	2 mths	
Shanghai	80	„ (sellers)	1/6 7/16
Hongkong	84 1/8	„ (buyers)	1/6 5/16

London £ Sterling T. T. on:			
New York	499.63	Shanghai	1/2 3/8
Paris	153.00	Bombay	1/6 5/8
Berlin	12.40¼	Hongkong	1/3 1/16
Amsterdam	8.97 1/16	Singapore	2/4 1/16
Brussels	29.54	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	85.00 N	„ (buying)	1/1 13/16
Milan	94.95	C'Slovakia	142.25
Berne	21.63¼		

New York: U.S.$ T. T. on:			
Berlin	40.28	Japan	29.09
Spain	6.20	Shanghai	29.65
Holland	55.67	Austria	18.92
Paris	3.29	C'Slovakia	3.51¼
Brussels	16.90	Hungary	19.90
Italy	5.26¼	Rumania	0.74½
S'zerland	23.10	Yugo Slavia	2.35
Sweden	25.75	Greece	0.91¾
Norway	25.10	Bulgaria	1.25
Denmark	22.30	Finland	2.21½
Montreal	99.985	Poland	19.00
London			4.99½
London Demand			4.99⅝
London Bankers' 60 days bills			4.98 3/32
London Commercial 60 days bills			4.98 1/32
Buenos Aires Paper			30.98
Buenos Aires Paper, market rate			29.30
Brazil, Open market rate			Unquoted
Montreal on London			4.99½

—Reuter.

FOREIGN MONEY RATES

London:	Jan. 13.
Fine Bank Bills, 3 months	0 3/8%
Bank Bills, 6 months	0 1/8%
Fine Trade Bills, 3 months	2¼%
Fine Trade Bills, 6 months	2¾%
Call Money	0½%
New York:	
Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months	0 1/16%B 0 1/16%A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months	0 1/16%B 0 1/16%A
Call Money	1%

B.—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

MANILA GOLD SHARES

(Closing Bids in Pesos)

	Jan. 12	Jan. 13
Antamok	.50	.50
Benguet Consolidated	9.90	9.60
Consolidated Mines	.0110	.0110
Demonstration	.37	.36
San Mauricio	.50	.49
United Paracale	.47	.46

Turnover: 630,000 Pesos.
Index: (closing prices) 78.55.—Reuter.

JAPANESE GOVERNMENT BONDS

Osaka, Jan. 14.

Kogo 5% Y.102.38

—Reuter.

BERLIN BOURSE

Berlin, Jan. 13.

The following were to-day's Reichsmark quotations:

New York 40.29, Paris 1192.00, Amsterdam 72.365, London 12.4025.

Paris quoted sterling at 148.25 to 148.50 and the U.S. dollar at 29.605 to 29.615.—Trans-Ocean.

SHANGHAI STOCK EXCHANGE

Yesterday's Business

Morning Session

OFFICIAL

	CASH
4,000 Java Consolidated	$ 1.65

UNOFFICIAL

66 S. & H. Wharf	$145.00
4,066 Shares	

OFFICIAL INDEXES

	Jan. 13	14	Change
S'hai Gen. Stock	43.37x	*	—
S'hai Rub. Share	198.13	198.13	Unch.
Chi. Govt. Bond	101.61x	Closed	—

x—August 13, 1937.
*—Compilation Temporarily suspended until active trading resumed.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

Thursday's Closing Quotations

London, Jan. 13.

British gilt-edged securities ruled firm on the stock exchange to-day, on a fair volume of French refugee buying. Far Eastern bonds recovered after yesterday's severe marking down. Otherwise, generally narrow and irregular conditions prevailed, with the French political situation and the Far Eastern developments restricting business.—Reuter.

	Jan. 12	13
War Loan 3½% (Red.)	£101⅞	102

JAPANESE BONDS

Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	41	43
Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924	47	50

COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL

Allied Ironfounders	24/-	24/-
Armstrong, Stevens	8/-	8/-
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	44/9	44/9
Austin Motors, ord.	32/-	31/10½
Bristol Aeroplane, ord.	49/3	50/6
British-American Tob:	106/10½	106/3
Cable & W., new form	65¼	65¼
Cammell Laird, ord.	11/-	10/7½
Courtaulds	46/9	47/-
Distillers	106/9	106/9
Dunlop Rubber	32/6	32/4½
General Elec. (Eng.)	77/3	77/3
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	26/-	26/-
Imp. Chem. Indus.	34/6	34/6
Imp. Tobacco	153/9	153/9
Leyland Motors	86/10½	86/3
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	60/-	59/4½
Pressed Steel, com.	16/6	16/6
Rolls-Royce	95/-	95/-
Smethwick Drop Forgings	19/6	19/6
Tate & Lyle	82/6	82/6
Turner & Newall	86/3	86/3
United Steel	26/10½	26/7½
Vickers, ord.	26/3	26/-
Woolworths	68/9	68/6

MISCELLANEOUS

Anglo Dutch	29/9	29/9
Rubber Pltn. Invests.	28/9	28/7½

MINES

Burma Corp.	12/9	12/9
Commonwealth Min.	3/-	3/-
Exploration Co.	2/-	2/-
Marsman Invests.	20/7½	18/9
Randfontein Ests.	50/9	51/3
Sub-Nigel	206/1½	206/3
Tanami Gold Min.	6d.	6d.

OILS

Anglo Iranian	78/9	79/4½
Burmah	118/1½	118/1½
Mexican Eagle	11/1½	11/7½
Shell Trans. & Trad.	100/-	99/4½

CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.

4½% Gold Loan of 1898	£72	75
4½% Anglo-French Loan	75	77
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	45	47
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	48	50
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	62	65
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	30	32
5% T'sin-Pukow Rly. B.	20	20
5% „ „ G.	20	20
5% „ „ (Supl. Loan) B.	20	20
5% „ „ (Supl. Loan) G.	20	20
5% Honan Rly., 1905	35	35
5% Hukuang Rly., 1911	28	28
5% „ „ (Ger. Is.)	25	25
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	15	16½
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	15	15
6% Stg. Notes, 1925	17½	16
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	Nom.	Nom.
S'hai Waterworks "A"	Nom.	Nom.
S'hai Elec. Construction	Nom.	Nom.
Chinere Eng. & Min.	15/6	15/6
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	87	86
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	12¼	12¼
Chosen Corp.	10/-	10/-
Pekin Syndicate	2/6	2/6
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	31/3	31/3

BRITISH COMMODITIES

Thursday's Closing Quotations

London, Jan. 13.

Rubber ruled firmer on Continental, speculative and trade buying, while base metals were easier in sympathy with Wall Street advices.

London Rubber: Spot, buyers 7⅛ unch; sellers 7 9/16 unch; Feb. del. buyers 7⅛ unch; sellers 7 9/16 —1/16.

London Sugar (Buyers): March 6/1½ —¼; May 6/2¼ —¼; August 6/3¼ +¼.

Liverpool Wheat: March 7/7 —⅛; May 7/6⅞ unch; July 7/6⅞ +¼.

Liverpool Cotton: American Futures: Jan. 4.85 unch; Mar. 4.88 unch; May 4.92 unch; July 4.95 unch; Egyptian Futures (Giza, F.G.F. No. 7): Jan. 7.33 +5; Mar. 7.10 unch; May 7.14 unch; July 7.15 —1.

London Metals: Copper, Standard, cash, sellers £43½ —¼; 3 mths sellers £43⅝ —¾; Copper, Electrolytic, buyers £47½ —⅛; sellers £48 —⅜; Tin, Standard, cash sellers £187½ —3¾; 3 mths sellers £187⅞ —3; Lead, Foreign, official price, sellers £17 7/16 —¼; mths delivery, official price, sellers £17⅜ —⅛; Spelter, Ordinary, official price, sellers £15⅝ —⅜; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £15 11/16 —⅜.—Reuter.

U.S. COMMODITIES

Thursday's Closing Quotations

New York, Jan. 13.

The cotton market early declined on lower Liverpool and Bombay cables, liquidation and Southern hedge selling. Finally, the market rallied moderately on covering and trade and general buying and closed very steady, with quotations ranging from unchanged to 5 points up.

After being steady on some new buying, the rubber market closed quiet and featureless with traders generally apathetic, following the lead from the stock market. At the last call-over, gains of 2 to 5 points were recorded.

Wheat prices in Chicago advanced on general buying, unfavourable weather, talk of further crop abandonment and an improved export demand. At the final bell, gains of 2⅝ cents were registered.

New York Cotton		New York Rubber	
Jan.	8.54-54 unc.	Mar.	14.82-82 +02
Mar.	8.58-58 unc.	May	14.95-95 +02
May	8.63-64 +02	July	15.10-10 +05
July	8.70-71 +02	Sept.	15.20 N +05
Oct.	8.80-80 +02		
Dec.	8.82-82 +05		

New York Sugar No. 4		New York Silk	
Mar.	1.16-16½ —1 B/A	Mar.	1.48-48½ —½ B/A

Chicago Wheat		Chicago Corn	
May	98⅞-99 +2⅝	May	61¼-61⅜ +¼
July	92¾-92⅞ +2⅜	July	61⅜-61¾ +⅜

Winnipeg Wheat	Montreal Silver
May 127⅝-127¾ +1 Mar.	43.90 N —20

B—Bid A—Asked.—Reuter.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Thursday's Closing Quotations

New York, Jan. 13.

Stock prices in Wall Street to-day closed quietly easier, mainly influenced by persistent profit-taking. Sentiment was somewhat unsettled owing to the unfavourable French political situation, and trading consequently was fairly light. The turnover to-day amounted to 970,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Average

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indus.	133.40	131.27	131.60	—1.62
20 Rails	32.40	31.74	31.81	—0.40
20 Utilit.	22.06	21.61	21.73	—0.13
40 Bonds	——	——	92.32	—0.01
11 Commod.	——	——	54.57	+0.37

	Jan. 12	13
Adams Express	10⅜	10⅛
Allegnany Steel Co.	21¼	20
Allis Chalmers	50	48⅝
Amer. Can	82	80
Amer. Cyanamid "B"	26⅞	26
Amer. & For. Power	4¼	4¼
„ „ $7 pfd.	22	23⅜
„	22	21¼
Amer. Locomotive	13⅜	13⅜
Amer. Radiator	21⅜	21½
Amer. Rolling Mill	35½	35½
Amer. Smelting	30½	29⅝
Amer. Sugar Refining	149	148½
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	71¼	71½
Amer. Tobacco "B"	13	12¾
Amer. Waterworks	37¾	35½
Amer. Metals	10⅛	9¾
Anaconda Copper	35½	34⅜
Atchison, T. & S. Fe	41	39⅛
Atlas Corp.	9½	9⅜
Auburn Auto	6⅛	5⅜
Baltimore & Ohio	10⅜	9¾
„ pfd.	13	11⅝
Barber Co.	17	17
Barnsdall Oil Co.	*15¾	15½
Bethlehem Steel	65	63
Boeing Airplane	33⅜	32½
Borden Co.	19¼	19½
Borg Warner	27¼	27½
Briggs Manufacturing Co.	24⅛	24½
Bklyn-Manhattan	11⅜	12½
„ „ $6 cum. pfd.	54¼	54½
Case, J.I.	90½	90½
Canadian Pacific Rly.	7⅞	8
Celanese Corp.	18⅜	18
Cerro de Pasco	43⅝	43¾
Chase Nat. Bank	B 34⅜	*B 33½
Chesapeake Corp.	46¼	46
Chesapeake & Ohio	37⅜	37⅜
Chrysler	59⅛	58½
Columbia Gas & Elec.	9	9¼
„ „ 6% "A"	B 70¼	70⅜
Commercial Credit	38	37¾
Commercial Solvents	10	9½
Comm. & Southern (ord.)	1⅞	2
„ „ $6 cum. pfd.	42	42
Consolidated Edison	25	24¾
Consolidated Oil	10⅜	*10
Continental Can	43	42½
Continental Oil	33½	32
Corn Products	63¾	63
Curtis Wright (Com.)	5⅛	5
„ „ "A"	17⅜	17⅜
Delaware & Hudson	17	16⅜
Delaware, Lackawanna	7¾	7⅜
Deere Co.	24⅛	23⅞
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	15¼	15⅜
Douglas Aircraft	43½	42
Du Pont de Nemours	116	110½
Eagle Picher Lead	12⅞	12⅞
Elec. Boat Co.	9¾	9½
Elec. Bond & Share	9⅜	9½
„ „ $5 pfd.	49¾	50¼
„ „ $6 pfd.	55¼	B 55½
Elec. Power & Light	13	12¾
„ „ 7% pfd.	41¼	40
Flintkote	16⅜	16⅛
Freeport Sulphur	25⅞	24¾
Gen. Amer. Trans.	44½	43¾
Gen. Cigar	B 28¼	28¼
Gen. Elec.	44¼	43⅜
Gen. Foods	32⅛	33¼
Gen. Motors	36⅜	35⅞
Gen. Railway Signal	25	23¾
Gludden	26¼	25¾
Goudnaux Sugar	B 31	32½
Goodrich (B.F.)	18½	17½
„ $5 pfd.	B 54⅛	55¾
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	21¾	21
Great Northern Railway	25	24½
Great Western Sugar	31½	31¾
Greyhound Corporation	10¼	10
Hecker Products	7⅜	7½
Humble Oil	64½	64⅜
International Nickel	50¼	49½
Int. Tel. & Tel.	7½	7⅜
Interestate Department	13	12
Kennecott Copper	41¾	41
Lambert Co.	12⅜	12⅜
Libby Owens Ford Glass	41¼	40¼
Lackneed Aircraft	10⅛	9½
Loew's Inc.	51¾	50½
Lorillard	17¾	17¾
McKesson & Robbins Inc.	33¼	33½
Martin, Glenn L.	20⅛	19¾
Monsanto Chemical	88	87½
Montgomery Ward	35¾	34½
Nat. Bond & Investment	17	17⅛
Nat. Cash Register	18	18¼
Nat. City Bank	B 28⅛	*B 27½
Nat. Dairy Products	15½	15⅜
Nat. Distillers	23	*22¼
Nat. Power & Lt.	8	8⅛
Nat. Supply Co.	21⅛	20⅜
New York Central	19⅛	18⅜
Niagara Hudson & Power	8¼	8⅛
North American Aviation	10	9½
North Amer. Co.	21½	21
Northern Pacific	13	12¼
Pacific Gas & Elec.	27¾	27
Pacific Lighting	B 38½	38¼
Packard Motors	5¼	5¼
Paramount Pictures Inc.	11⅞	11½
„ „ 1st pfd.	B 93⅞	B 93½
Pennsylvania Railroad	23¼	23⅛
Phillips Petroleum	40⅜	40
Public Service of New	34¾	35
Pure Oil	12¾	12½
Radio Corp. of Amer.	7	7
Republic Steel Corp.	19⅞	19⅛
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	45½	45¼
Schenley Distillers	26⅞	26⅝
„ „ 5½% pfd.	81	80½
Sears Roebuck	63¼	62¾
Shell Union Oil	17¾	17¾
Socony Vacuum	16⅛	15⅝
South. Calif. Edison	24	24
Southern Pacific	21¼	20½
Sthrn. Railway	13½	13
„ „ $5 pfd.	20⅝	20⅝
Standard Brands	9⅛	9
Standard Gas	5¼	5
„ „ $7 pfd.	25¼	24¼
Standard Oil of New	50⅝	49¾
Sterling Products	58½	B 57⅝
Studebaker	6⅞	6¾
Swift International	26¾	26½
Technicolor	19⅛	19
Texas Corporation	43½	42¾
Texas Gulf Sulphur	32¼	32
Tide Water Associated Oil	15	15
Transamerica	12¾	*12¼
Twentieth-Century-Fox	22⅞	23
„ „ pfd.	30	31
Union Carbide & Carbon	77½	77
Union Pacific	87¾	87½
United Aircraft (New)	25⅝	24⅝
United Air Lines Transport	8	7¾
United Corporation	3⅝	3½
„ „ $3 cum.	32	32⅛
United Gas Corporation	5	4⅞
United Gas Improvement	11	10⅝
United Light & Power	3½	3⅜
U. S. Industrial Alcohol	21¾	B 21
U. U. Rubber	28¾	27½
„ „ 8% non-cum.	59	55¼
U. S. Smelting, Reg.	69	67½
U. S. Steel	60¾	58½
Vanadium	19½	18¾
Warner Bros. Pictures	7¼	7⅛
Westinghouse Elec.	105	105¼
Woodward Iron	17⅝	17¾
Youngstown Sheet & Tube	42½	40⅞

BONDS

Amer. & For. Power	58	57½
Brizil	18⅛	18
Chic. Mil.	13	12½
Cities Service Power	55	54⅝
Int. Tel. & Tel. 4½s	89	89¾
Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s	62⅛	63
New England Gas & Elec.	B 56	56¾
Peru 6s 1961	B 10⅛	10¼
Standard Gas & Elec.	55½	55

A—Asked B—Bid *—Ex Div.—Reuter.

BANK OF FRANCE RETURNS

Paris, Jan. 13.

Gold reserves totalling 58,933,000,000 francs were shown in the returns issued to-day by the Bank of France for the week ended January 5, showing no change compared with the figure for the previous week.

The total note circulation was given as 93,474,000,000 francs, a decrease of 363,000,000 francs compared with last week.—Reuter.

SILVER QUOTATIONS

London, Jan. 14.

Spot silver moved 1/16d. lower, whilst forward remained unchanged from yesterday's levels.

	Jan. 13.	Jan. 14
London spot	19 3/16d.	19 1/16d.
„ forward	19 3/16d.	19 3/16d.
London/New York:		
One pound	U.S.$4.99 3/4	4.99⅛
One U.S. dollar	48.024d.	48.084d.
Gold	139/7d.	139/7 3/4d.

—Reuter.

SHANGHAI'S FOREIGN TRADE

Foreign Imports in December Total $13,766,214: Exports Total $18,569,084

A Grand total of $13,766,214 for foreign imports from abroad during December, swelling the January-December figure to $508,844,132 is noted from the returns issued by the Chinese Maritime Customs for Shanghai. Exports totalled $18,569,084 for December and $404,395,418 for the January-December period.

Net Imports

(Including Bond Withdrawals)

	December 1937 C.S.$	Jan.-Dec. 1937 C.S.$
Cotton piece goods, grey	1,690	6,887,320
Piece white or dyed	69,630	4,228,057
Piece printed	2,118	374,413
Piece miscellaneous	14,922	696,628
Cotton, raw, yarn	72,115	17,587,931
Cotton, many., sundry	32,021	1,057,045
Flax, ramie, hemp	133,284	8,296,593
Wool and Manu.	1,440,889	31,545,006
Silk	39,373	8,797,142
Metal and Ores	1,131,370	88,135,341
Machinery and Tools	628,030	35,448,298
Vehicles and vessels	297,408	22,571,962
Metal Manu.	718,794	28,306,571
Fishery Products	68,750	5,226,814
Canned Goods	276,960	5,225,809
Cereals and flour	2,918,774	11,883,582
Fruits, seeds	71,911	4,206,081
Medicinal goods	227,613	3,133,176
Sugar	123,362	3,918,959
Wines, beer	43,735	1,035,025
Tobacco	672,176	16,242,999
Pharmaceuticals	736,507	28,556,177
Dyes, varnishes	219,992	23,938,546
Candles, Resins, etc.	2,104,936	36,877,190
Books maps, paper	870,432	45,485,823
Hides, leather, etc.	80,704	2,618,858
Timber	7,003	9,969,701
Bamboo, straw, etc	62,434	3,565,527
Coal, fuel, tar	259,670	3,063,833
Chinaware, etc	70,682	2,638,817
Stone, earth	26,925	1,886,771
Sundry	348,104	45,434,507
Grand Total	13,766,214	508,844,132

Net Exports

Animal products	4,604,466	62,641,932
Hides, leather	293,897	25,653,320
Fish products	7,373	363,987
Beans and Peas	—	6,001,001
Cereals	21,634	11,369,921
Cotton, raw, yarn	125,638	1,374,105
Fruits, preserves	10,535	611,523
Medicinals	230,752	3,647,334
Oils, tallow, wax	2,254,027	86,267,738
Seeds	133,445	16,399,135
Spirituous beverages	46,904	371,200
Sugar	—	1,535
Tea	2,079,023	23,367,530
Tobacco	596,571	3,446,838
Vegetables	55,381	1,142,102
Vegetable products	92,119	2,760,561
Bamboo	9,853	256,323
Fuel	11,185	314,431
Rattan	60	28,736
Timber	40,422	946,113
Paper	47,078	1,628,027
Textile fibres	2,476,201	55,876,275
Yarn, Thread	2,039,284	25,023,863
Piece goods	686,449	16,468,567
Other Textile products	185,847	3,704,080
Ores, metals	406,123	35,965,202
Glass, glassware	32,089	235,844
Stone, earth	131,536	1,976,438
Chemicals	157,446	1,916,697
Printed Matter	171,317	2,164,367
Sundry	1,622,449	13,565,193
Grand Total	18,569,084	404,395,418

IMPORTS FROM AND EXPORTS TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES: VALUE OF GOLD AND SILVER—BY COUNTRIES

	December 1937 Gold	December 1937 Silver	January-December 1937 Gold	January-December 1937 Silver
Imported From				
Great Britian		1,589	292	1,589
Hongkong	995,433		1,115,292	478,000
Total Imports	995,433	1,589*	1,115,292	479,589†
Exported To				
Great Britain			24,555,334	
Hongkong			1,019,637	60,776,256
Japan				607
Total Exports			25,574,971	60,776,863‡

IMPORTS FROM AND EXPORTS TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES: VALUE OF MERCHANDISE

Imports	December 1937 G.U.	December 1937 $	January-December 1936 G.U.	January-December 1936 $	January-December 1937 G.U.	January-December 1937 $
Gross Imports	6,324,283		245,655,570		224,508,948	
Less Re-exports Abroad	222,238		923,860		867,077	
Net Imports	6,102,045	13,766,214	244,731,710	553,094,902	223,641,871	508,844,132
Exports						
Gross Exports		18,662,170		362,273,720		404,671,937
Less Reimports from Abroad		93,086		873,099		276,519
Net Exports		18,569,084		361,400,621		404,395,418
Total Net Imports and Exports		32,335,298		914,495,523		913,239,550
Excess of Imports				191,694,281		104,448,714
Exports		4,802,870				

*Representing silver bars, 311 hectogrammes, value $1,589 but not including bank-notes, face value Chinese $287,467, Hongkong $131,300, Piastres, 15,000, £2,900 and U.S.$52,022.

†Including silver bars, 311 hectogrammes, value $1,589, Chinese silver dollars 458,000 pieces, value $458,000 and silver subsidiary coins, value $12,000, but not including nickel and copper subsidiary coins, value $31 and bank-notes face value Chinese $328,009, Hongkong $227,264, Yen $48,900, Piastres, 15,000, £3,400 and U.S.$52,022.

‡Including silver bars, 80 hectogrammes, value $381, Chinese silver dollars 27,610,000 pieces, value $27,610,000 and silver subsidiary coins, value $1,445,000, but not including nickel and copper subsidiary coins, value $1,450,000 and bank-notes face value Chinese $66,685,400.

BANK OF JAPAN GOLD RESERVES

Osaka, Jan. 14.

The gold reserves of the Bank of Japan yesterday totalled Y. 801,002,000, compared with Y. 801,002,000 on Thursday last week and Y. 550,289,000 on January 14 last.

This shows no change as compared with last week but an increase of Y. 250,713,000 from last year.—Reuter.

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURNS

London, Jan. 13.

The Bank of England statement for the week ended January 13 shows a decrease in public deposits of £1,250,000 to £13,190,000, while other deposits were lower by £6,470,000 to £160,150,000.

Government securities were listed at £90,170,000,000 showing a decrease of £18,170,000 from the previous week. Other securities totalled £36,310,000, including £15,800,000 on discounts and advances and £20,510,000 on securities.

Notes and coins amounted to £64,930,000 an increase of £10,400,000 from the previous week's figure of £54,530,000, while total bullion decreased by £50,000.

Notes in circulation totalled £482,130,000, registering a decrease of £10,450,000 compared with last week's figure.

The proportion of reserve to liability was given at 37.45 per cent., compared with 30.11 per cent. last week.—Reuter.

BERLIN BOURSE

Berlin, Jan. 13.

The inclination of the stockholders to realise was more noticeable to-day than for some days past, this movement being chiefly due to the desire of the operators to assure the profits that had accrued from the recent rise. As the market was quite without any stimulus a marked tendency to sell depressed the prices. Almost all sections of the share market were affected. Minings, electrics, automobiles and potashes were all lower but breweries were firmer.

Fixed interest securities on the other hand were often firmer. Reichs Old Liquidation Loan for instance rose ⅜ to 130⅜. In provincial loans Brandenburg 1926 declined ⅛ and Pommern 1927 ¾. Gold mortgage and communal bonds were firm. In industrial bonds German Dye Trust weakened 108 to 130⅞, Siemens & Halske declined ¼ to 188⅛, Krupps stood ¼ lower at 103¼, Hoesch weakened ¼ to 103⅛.

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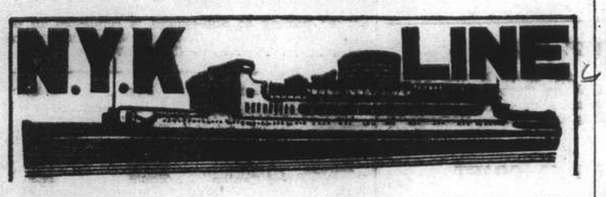

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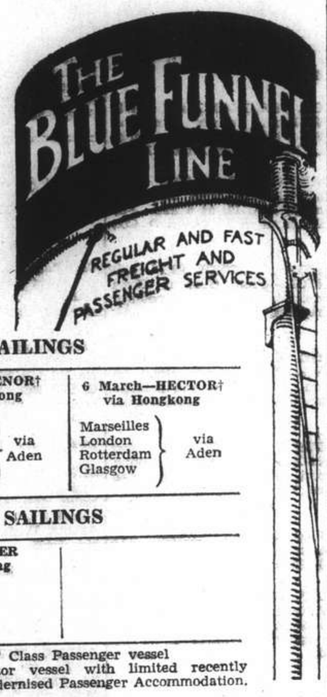

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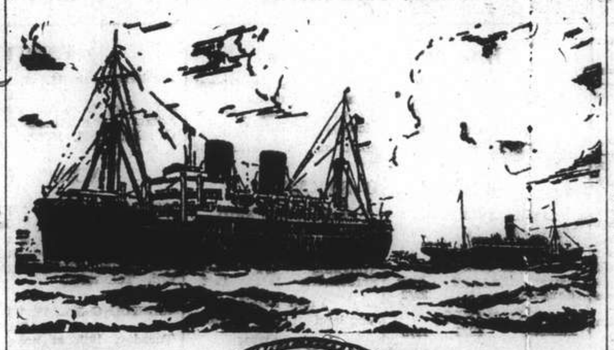

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Jan. 11	Jan. 13	Jan. 16	Andre Lebon	Jan. 19	Jan. 21	Jan. 22
Jan. 24	Jan. 27	Jan. 30	Felix Roussel	Feb. 2	Feb. 4	Feb. 5
Feb. 4	Feb. 7	Feb. 9	Pres. Doumer	Feb. 12	Feb. 14	Feb. 15
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Chitral	Feb. 1	Feb. 4	PRES. TAFT	Feb. 7	—
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Pres. Doumer	Feb. 15	Feb. 18	PRES. CLEVELAND	Feb. 23	Mar. 15

KOBE

Steamer	Leave S'hai	Arrive Kobe	Steamer	Leave Kobe	Arrive U.S.
			PRES. JACKSON	Jan. 19	Feb. 3
Felix Roussel	Jan. 26	Jan. 29	PRES. JEFFERSON	Feb. 2	Feb. 17
Pres. Doumer	Feb. 5	Feb. 8	PRES. TAFT	Feb. 11	—
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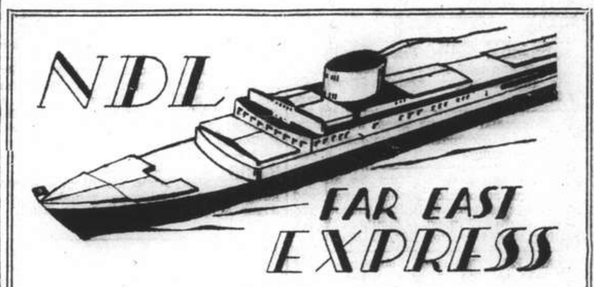

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			due Shanghai
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E/Japan	Feb. 8	Feb. 10	—	Feb. 13	Feb. 15	Feb. 21	Feb. 26
E/Asia	Feb. 23	Feb. 25	Feb. 27	Mar. 1	Mar. 3	—	Mar. 12
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ms. Sibajak	13,500	Feb. 23	Feb. 25	Mar. 15
ms. Johan v. Oldenbarnevelt	19,100	Mar. 9	Mar. 11	Mar. 29
ms. Dempo	17,000	Mar. 16	Mar. 18	Apr. 5
ss. Johan de Witt	11,000	Mar. 30	Apr. 1	Apr. 20
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SHOE store, American, complete or sell part of stock. Shoes, purses, dresses, fixtures. Sacrificing, leaving Shanghai. 809 Bubbling Well. -499

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FURNITURE, kitchenware, crockery of four-roomed flat. Excellent condition, 700 dollars. Telephone 30744. -610

STAMPS. Many new arrivals. We have big and fine stock of all countries. The house for value. Mercury Stamp Co. 1237 Avenue Road. -594

FOR SALE, one motor rug, fox fur mounted on blue satin, practically new, size 3½ by 6 ft., $160. One white fox fur-lined cloak, length 44 inches, width 3½ yards. For quick sale $350. Telephone 32113. -576

LARGE coal heating stove $15. Two strong tables 10 x 4 $25. No dealers. Stewart, 55 Yuen-ming-Yuen Road. 12027

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SHIRTS pyjamas introductory offer custom-made guaranteed fit shirts English plain, striped poplin, $3; Wemco $4; pure silk $8. Pyjamas poplin $5.50; silk striped, plain $7. Shanghai Store, 807 Bubbling Well. 11962

PROFITABLE investment, Persian carpets, curious, small and large sizes. May be seen at L. Moore & Co., Ltd.'s Auction Room. -282

LARGE selection of tropical fish, medicines, thermometers and aquarium supplies. At reasonable prices. Sea Paradise, 704 Weihaiwei Road. -436

YORKSHIRE-STYLE cured boneless ham, each 12 lbs., 90 cents lb. Breakfast bacon, each 5 lbs, 80 cents lb. Free Shanghai. Excellent quality, from European pigs. Mail orders accepted. Martin Krogh. Tsingtao, Post Office Box 201. 11636

STOCKINGS sale. Large selection all shades. Prices $2 to $3.50. Gisele, 243 Cardinal Mercier, Telephone 75118. -43

FOR SALE, specialised stamp collection of China, Treaty Ports, Hongkong, Mongolia, Thibet and Korea. Many covers, sheets and large blocks. Also U. S. Commemoratives and general foreign. Address Box 265, N.C.D.N. -540

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LADIES, girls. American shoes liquidation. Half price $3.75, $3.75. Closing end of month. 809 Bubbling Well. -459

BRIDGE sets, 50 cents. Venetian doylies, 9 cents. Guest towels, 17 cents. Handkerchiefs, 25 cents dozen. Cocktail napkins, 60 cents dozen. Mah-jong cloth $1.50. Lace & Linen Syndicate, 114 Peking Road. 11984

MODERN-style bedroom suite of nine pieces, in good condition, $75. Apply Court 32, House 7, Edinburgh Road. Telephone 20397. -470

FOR SALE, piano Mozart, price $250. Owner leaving Shanghai. Address Box 245, N.C.D.N. or Telephone 35133 during tiffin hours. -509

SHIRTS, made to measure. English poplin, $4.50; Striped silk, $9; Wemco, $5. Razon's, 12 Central Road. -448

LOST

LOST. Stamped B/L. 34/1 covering 600 bundles aluminium ingots ex s/s "Arima Maru" from Oslo. The public is hereby notified that same is declared null and void. G. E. Marden & Co., Ltd. -390

WHOLESALE Merchant Licence issued by Customs, No. M847, has been lost. A new one is applied for. The lost one is hereby declared null and void. Say Tai Yuen Dyestuff Co. -545

LOST. Bill of Lading 18/7, covering 2 cartons bath tub, marked L 449 ASP in diamond, D & S around, Shanghai below 67789, 1/2 shipped per ss. Leesang arrived December 30 1937 Voyage 406. The above is declared null and void. Dodge & Seymour. -317

MISCELLANEOUS

STENOGRAPHY, stencilling, part/full time, by experts. Stenographic & Secretarial Service. Telephone 17836 for quick service. -298

MOTOR CARS & CYCLES

1933 OLDSMOBILE, 1933 V8 Ford and 1935 Plymouth de luxe model, in good condition, will be sold at reasonable price. Please apply by Telephone 18828. -607

FOR SALE, Austin Seven, 1929, in good running order, $400. Telephone 71281 between 1—1.30 p.m. -627

1935 STUDEBAKER two-seater roadster, perfect condition, owner leaving. Apply House 3, Lane 88, Route Vallon, between 12—2 p.m., 4-7 p.m. or Telephone 81214. -608

FOR SALE, 1933 Hillman Wizard, good running condition, insured April. Telephone 31321. -595

TRUCK for sale, 1½ ton, canvass covered, $1,200. Telephone 30323 noon hours. -351

1932 Studebaker, 4-door sedan in excellent condition, Sacrifice at $750 or nearest offer. Telephone 72438. -10

WANTED urgently, closed car, real bargain. Full particulars: make, year, lowest cash-price. Box 233, N.C.D.N. -475

FOR SALE, Morris 10 saloon 1934 model, in good condition. $1,000 or nearest offer. Address Box 261, N.C.D.N. -532

SEVERAL Baby Fiat model 500, for sale at very attractive prices, some of those are less than 6 months old and had to be taken back from some of our clients, who left town during the last few weeks. Apply Fiat Service station Corner Cardinal Mercier and Rue Lafayette. Telephone 71431. 11991

1934 Ford V8, owner-driven sedan, for $1,200 cash. Address Box 193, N.C.D.N. -382

$550 or near offer, 6-cylinder Fiat 1931 saloon, new battery, first-class condition. Address Box 247, N.C.D.N. -509

FOR SALE, Studebaker sedan 6 cylinders, 1934. Recently overhauled, newly painted. Telephone 32590. -497

FORD V8, 1935 model, perfect condition. Always owner-driven, owner leaving. Quick sale. Address Post Office Box 2070. 11908

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THREE seats vacant, three times daily. Picardie Apartment/Bund. Address Box 290, N.C.D.N. -613

ENGLISHMAN desires car lift, four times daily, from Culty Dairy to Bund. Telephone 72053. 11997

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The following replies are being held at this office, and the owners of the undermentioned Box Numbers are requested to call for same before January 20, 1938, after which date they will be destroyed. Nos. 2280, 2559, 2592, 2595, 2622, 2652, 2661, 2662, 2664, 2669, 2671, 2683, 2718, 2723, 2726, 2754.

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VERY good boy-coolie, plain cooking. Honest worker. Telephone 42606. -601

ADVERTISER recommends excellent cook-boy and coolie, available immediately. Telephone 75399. -592

WANTED, part-time washing amah. Tunsin Road District. Telephone 20905. 12008

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COOK-boy seeks position, knows English and American cooking. Please apply Lafayette Pharmacy, 1240 Rue Lafayette, Telephone 74387, Mr. Zundelevich. -588

COOK-BOY, honest, economical, good cook and well-recommended. Available immediately. Address Box 242, N.C.D.N. -493

I recommend a very good house-boy. Further information Telephone 32561, Mrs. Beaumont. -559

COOK-boy required. Must be an excellent economical cook, have good references and know duties thoroughly, also coolie. English family. Reply stating wages to Box 269, N.C.D.N.

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HARDWORKING cook-boy, speaking good English, excellent boy, recommended by English and American family. Address Box 81, N.C.D.N. -541

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FOX-terrier requires good home. Male, young, good breed, well-behaved, excellent watch-dog and walking companion, leash unnecessary. Address Box 286, N.C.D.N. -605

LECKERMAUL (copper) Z-class, 14, good jumper (jumped in the winning Christmas team) owner going Home. Telephone 23599. 11971

LARGE aviary with 15 birds, $30. Apply Court 32, House 7 Edinburgh Road. Telephone 20397. -470

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MODERN 2-room apartments available now at very moderate rentals. For further particulars telephone 18623. 12025

TO LET, two-roomed apartment, 18 Route Voyron, Flat 36, preferably bachelors. -623

TWO rooms, bathroom, kitchen. Rent $80.95 including heating, hot and cold water. Modern furniture and fittings to be taken over. 651 Weihaiwei Road, Apartment F12, from 10-6. Bus 14 at the door. -596

THREE-roomed modern apartment with bathroom, kitchen and store-room. Furniture to be taken over. Monthly rent $100, including tax, steam-heating hot and cold water. Apply 331 Avenue Petain, Flat W34, Georgia Apartment. -603

FOUR-roomed apartment, southern exposure, Route Boissezon, near Joffre. Telephone 75843. Basic rent, $135, including taxes and water. Excellent modern furniture to be taken over, $600. Available February 1. -597

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$1,500 cash, fully-furnished, modern, two-roomed apartment, garage, Avenue Petain, within five minutes walking distance twenty-two bus. Also, if wanted, Ford 1934 sedan, $1,200 cash. Address Box 215, N.C.D.N. -431

TO LET, two-roomed, fully-furnished apartment from February 1. Embankment Building, Seventh Floor. Furniture to be taken over. Box 38, N.C.D.N. -18

TO LET, three-roomed, steam-heated, completely furnished apartment, including crockery etc., on a quiet street in the centre of French Concession. Address Box 256, N.C.D.N. -127

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NEAR Cathedral Girls' School. Modern, four-roomed, steamheated flat. Frigidaire, box-room, lift, garden. Inclusive rent $155. Complete furniture must be purchased. Bargain price. Box 273, N.C.D.N. -564

TO LET, furnished or unfurnished flats of three rooms. Kinnear Apartment, 195 Kinnear Road, near Jessfield Park, with tennis court, nice roof and ground gardens. All modern conveniences. Moderate rentals. Apply Hsin Heng & Co., Property Department, 160 Avenue Edward VII. Telephone 15660. 11740

TWO-ROOMED furnished flat in apartment house, kitchen, steamheating, refrigerator. $120 months. 571 Yuyuen Road. Apartment 101, Telephone 21559. -606

UNFURNISHED APARTMENTS

TO LET, three-roomed apartment, Bubbling Well Road, near Medhurst Road. Heating, hot water, taxes included. Very reasonable rental. Telephone 35818. -584

TO LET, attractive two-room apartment, Tiny Mansions, 745 Yu Yuen Road. Apply Spence, Robinson & Partners. Telephone 11355. 12009

ATTRACTIVE two-roomed flat near French Park for immediate occupation. Frigidaire and all modern conveniences. Apply Telephone 83134 for inspection 6 to 8 p.m. daily. -605

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TO LET, flat of 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, steam heating, lights, near bus line Jessfield Park. Reasonable rent. Telephone 22183. -581

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Due at Future Dates

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†*Dates of arrival are provisional only, depending on the vessel's stay at wayports.*

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From LIVERPOOL

Menestheus	8/1	16/2
Aeneas	22/1	5/3

From LONDON

Kaisar-I-Hind	14/1	21/2
Bangalore	8/1	22/2

From OSLO

Talabot	21/1	12/3

From MARSEILLES

F. Roussel	24/12	24/1
Pres. Doumer	7/1	4/2
Aramis	21/1	18/2

From GDYNIA

Cyclops	18/1	10/3

From ANTWERP

Gneisenau	13/1	12/2

From HAMBURG

Saale	22/1	11/3
Scharnhorst	5/2	12/3

From ROTTERDAM

Menelaus	31/12	9/2 *
India	12/1	1/3

From TRIESTE

Volpi	21/12	10/2

From PORT SAID

Hector	9/1	5/2 *
Comorin	13/1	7/2
Franken	11/1	8/2
Tongking	2/1	9/2
Serooskerk	12/1	12/2

From SUEZ

Vogtland	13/1	22/2

From ADEN

Conte Rosso	13/1	30/1

From BATAVIA

Oliva	11/1	26/1

From SINGAPORE

Carthage	15/1	24/1 *
Somali	15/1	24/1

From SAIGON

Cortellazzo	6/1	15/1

From N.E.-I.

Tjinegara	—	17/1
Tjisadane	—	7/2

From MANILA

Ajax	13/1	19/1
E. Russia	—	23/1
E. Japan	—	10/2

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From NEW YORK

C. E'bourne	18/11	16/1
Foylebank	7/12	25/1

From LOS ANGELES

Cing. Prince	29/12	25/1

From VANCOUVER, B.C.

Emp. Asia	8/1	24/1
Tyndareus	8/1	2/2
E. Canada	22/1	8/2

From SHIMIDZU

Burdwan	15/1	24/1

From KOBE

Corfu	14/1	17/1

From NAGASAKI

Shanghai M.	16/1	17/1

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN

Hoten M.	—	16/1
Glenbeg	9/1	19/1
Dairen M.	—	20/1
Hoten M.	—	24/1
Antenor	11/1	5/2

From TONGKU

Shengking	15/1	18/1 †

From TIENTSIN

Chaksang	—	15/1
Kwaisang	—	17/1

From WEIHAIWEI

Chekiang	13/1	17/1 †

From CHINWANGTAO

Nanchang	12/1	17/1 †

From TUNGCHOW

Wuhu	15/1	16/1
Kungwo	—	16/1
Siangwo	17/1	18/1

From CHITUNG

Tungwo	—	15/1

From SWATOW

Kiungchow	12/1	15/1 †

From HONGKONG

Meerkerk	11/1	15/1
Tsinan	13/1	16/1 †
Suiyang	12/1	16/1 †
Fooshing	—	17/1
Fingal	—	18/1
Kwangtung	16/1	19/1 †
Chengtu	16/1	20/1 †

From FORMOSA

Chosa M.	—	25/1

Vessels Leaving

YANGTZE RIVER

WUHU Jan. 16. TUNGCHOW. — From French Bund on Sunday, 16th at 8 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 16-1

WUSUEH Jan. 19. TUNGCHOW. — From French Bund on Wednesday, January 19, at 8 a.m. For freight or passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 19-1

Vessels Leaving

YANGTZE RIVER

KUNGWO Jan. 18. Sails for KOWAN via TUNGCHOW on Tuesday, Jan. 18, at 10.30 a.m. from Roosevelt Terminal (ex Kinleeyuen Wharf). For Passages apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 18-1

NORTH CHINA COAST

TAKSANG Jan. 16. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Sunday, Jan. 16, at 10 a.m. New fast steamer. Good passenger accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 16-1

CHEKIANG Jan. 18. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—From French Bund on Tuesday, 18th at noon. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 18-1

SHENGKING Jan. 20. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Thursday, January 20, at 10 a.m. For freight or passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 20-1

SOUTH CHINA COAST

LEESANG Jan. 16. WENCHOW, SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Sunday, Jan. 16, at noon. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 16-1

LIANGCHOW Jan. 16. NINGPO.—From French Bund on Sunday, January 16, at 2 p.m. For freight or passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 16-1

TAIYUAN Jan. 16. AMOY, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Sunday, 16th at 7 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 15-1

CHAKSANG Jan. 17. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Monday, Jan. 17, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 16-1

KIUNGCHOW Jan. 18. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Tuesday, 18th at noon. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 18-1

TSINAN Jan. 19. AMOY, SWATOW and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Wednesday, 19th at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 18-1

SHANTUNG Jan. 20. FOOCHOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Thursday, 20th at 1 p.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 20-1

FINGAL Jan. 21. HONGKONG.—For freight and passage apply Melchers & Co., 210 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 21-1

KWANGTUNG Jan. 23. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG. From French Bund on Sunday, January 23, at 6 a.m. For freight or passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 22-1

STRAITS AND EUROPE

HINDENBURG Jan. 15. ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG.—The Hamburg-Amerika Linie ss. Hindenburg, Captain Friske, will sail on or about January 15, 1938, For freight please apply to Hamburg-Amerika Linie, Filiale Schanghai, 20 Canton Road, Tel. 18709. 15-1

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Post Office Notices

Earlier posting at Sub-Offices is requested in order to make connection with the undermentioned closing times at Yu Yuen Road (Tel. 36574).

Date and Destination	*Per*	*Reg.*	*Ord.*
SATURDAY, Jan. 15.			
Ningpo	Tembien X	10.30	11.00
Nantung	Wuhu	16.30	17.00
Aust. N.Z. Indo-China and Europe	Trave A	17.00	18.00
Hongkong and Canton	Trave	17.30	18.00
Amoy Hongkong Canton	Taiyuan	17.30	18.00
Formosa via Keelung	Chosa Maru X	17.30	18.00
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Taksang	16.30	18.00
Tsingtao Chefoo Tientsin	Taksang	19.00	19.00
SUNDAY, Jan. 16.			
Wenchow	Leesang	*19.00	9.15
Haimen Che.	Shinfu	9.30	10.00
Dairen	Hoten Maru	10.00	10.00
Swatow Hongkong Canton	Chaksang	16.00	16.00
MONDAY, Jan. 17.			
Nantung	Kungwo	16.30	17.00
Wenchow	Ano-Vathy X	16.30	17.00
Manila Aust. N.Z. S.S.			
Ceylon India Europe	Corfu B	16.00	18.00
Hongkong and Canton	Corfu	17.30	18.00
Japan Korea and Formosa via Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	17.30	18.00

* The night before.
A Parcel mail for France, Holland, German and other countries, closes at 15.00 on 15th.
B Parcel mail for S.S. Great Britain and other countries, closes at 15.00 on 17th.
X Provisional time—subject to alterations.

Mails for Europe

Via Siberia by steamer to Tientsin (unless otherwise marked) or via Suez and the Pacific by available steamer.

Air Mails Abroad

China-Hanoi-Marseilles by steamer to Hongkong.
Imperial Airways, by steamer to Hongkong.
Hongkong-San Francisco by steamer to Hongkong.
Netherlands (K.L.M.) by steamer to Singapore.
Saigon-Marseilles by steamer to Saigon.

Vessels Leaving (cont.)

STRAITS AND EUROPE

CMDT. DORISE about Jan. 16. ORAN, CASABLANCA, HAVRE, ANTWERP, DUNKIRK via PORT SAID and ADEN.—For particulars apply to Messageries Maritimes, Agency, No. 9 Avenue Edward VII. 16-1

TRAVE Jan. 16. MARSEILLES, ORAN, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and BREMEN via HONGKONG, SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BELAWAN, COLOMBO and PORT SAID.—For freight and passage apply Melchers & Co., General Agents: N.D.L. 210 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 16-1

CORFU Jan. 18. MARSEILLES, GIBRALTAR and LONDON via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, PORT SAID and MALTA.—Last tender will leave the Customs Jetty at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, January 18, 1938. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co., No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 18-1

GLENBEG Jan. 19. CASABLANCA, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and ANTWERP via Hongkong and STRAITS.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., Agents, Glen Line Ltd., Tel. 15290. 19-1

ANDRE LEBON Jan. 22. MARSEILLES via HONGKONG, SAIGON, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, DJIBOUTI, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 82034. 22-1

BURDWAN Jan. 25. MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, HAVRE, LONDON, HULL, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM and ANTWERP.—The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s ss. Burdwan will sail for the above ports via Hongkong, Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Bombay, Aden, Suez and Port Said. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co., 27 The Bund. Tel. 11428. 26-1

ROOMS WITHOUT BOARD

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